

THE GREAT MAY SALE

Has Caught the Town LIKE A WHIRLWIND!

Now every other store will have a May Sale just as soon as they can get their breath and pull themselves together. Imitation is the sincerest flattery.

Some Wash Goods

That are being slaughtered in the Great and Only May Sale.

Best American Shirting Cambrics, splendid styles, no limit to quantity, at... 3¢
Genuine Indigo Blue Calicoes, full line of patterns, no limit to quantity, at... 3¢
15¢ Zephyr Dress Gingham, in good styles, at a bargain, at... 5¢
Best Johnson's Bookfold Gingham, all styles, no limit to quantity, have been 12½¢, at... 6¢
Sheer Cool Printed Dimities, in very pretty choice patterns, at... 7¢
Silk Gingham, splendid styles, wide widths, we sell them at... 24¢

Silks! Silks!

Great Slaughter in Silks.
100 pieces more of those splendid figured Pongee Silks, in all colors, you can get any color you want now, all at... 18¢
Checked Kai Kai Wash Silks, in a full line of colors, very stylish for waists, reduced to... 31¢
Cable Cord Kai Kai Wash Silks, in great variety, splendid bright goods, wide width, go at... 39¢
Yard-wide White Habutash Wash Silks, pure silk, nice quality, worth 75¢, at... 50¢
Figured Tartan for waists, in exquisite colorings; several broken lines that were \$1.00, we will close out at... 74¢

Dress Goods Slaughter.

All Spring Dress Goods Greatly Reduced in this May Sale. Prices no object now. They have got to go.
Double Fold Brocades, in all colors, splendid goods, reduced from 20¢ to... 9¢
All Pure Wool Scotch Cheviots, double fold, reduced from 40¢ yard to... 25¢
Best quality White Habutash Cheviots, in very choice patterns, light or dark grounds and plenty of them; you are used to paying 60¢; this lot at... 25¢
Fine French Colored Crepons, all pure wool, 28 inches wide, reduced from \$1.25 to the giveaway price of... 35¢
Fine English Covert Suitings, 48 inches wide, splendid colorings, just right for traveling or seashore, reduced from \$1.00 to... 59¢

Domestics.

Sea Island Fine Brown Muslins, worth 6½¢, at the lowest you ever saw them, at... 3¢
30-inch Blue and White Cheviots, Shirtings, checked and striped, worth 10¢, at... 5¢
Best Table Oil Cloths, in fancy patterns, don't miss these at... 10¢
Splendid Red and Drab Bookfold Tablecloths, worth 18¢, goes at... 10¢

The Busy Cloak Room.

Ladies' Shirt Waists.

\$1.00 Waists for 60 Cents.
Lot of Ladies' Splendid quality Shirt Waists, in a choice line of patterns, perfect fitting and well made, anywhere, at... 60¢

Ladies' Wrappers.

\$1.25 Wrappers for 60 Cents.
1200 Wrappers, bought cheap, will go cheap; made of Fancy Percale, light grounds, with pink, black, blue or red hair line and cluster stripes, with a 6-inch ruffled yoke and full skirts; the complete description the price is... 60¢

Children's Wash Dresses.

Misses' and Children's Fine Irish Lawn Dresses, in pink, red, blue or heliotrope grounds, with fine cluster stripes, large sleeves, extra wide skirts, neatly braided trimmings, 4 to 14 years, worth \$2.50 each; all sizes at... \$1.15

Ladies' Dress Skirts.

All-wool fine light-weight Ladies' Cloth in black; with full box plaits; worth \$2.50; will go at... \$1.95

Japanese Matting.

We thought other stores kept Matting, too, but from the way we are selling them, we must be alone in the business. Not much wonder though—look at the prices:
Splendid Matting, in great variety, at... 8¢
Better qualities of very pretty Matting, good wearing goods, worth 10¢, at... 10¢
Finer Japanese Matting, in a choice line of patterns and colorings, at... 14¢
Splendid Heavy Seamless Japanese Matting, choice colorings, at... 19¢
Extra Fine Japanese Matting, in fancy odd designs, worth 20¢, at... 20¢

Lace Curtains.

A lot of Odd Patterns and Odd Pairs of Fine Lace Curtains, in Brussels and Irish Point effects, splendid qualities, we have saved them at 12½¢ and 15¢, to close these out they will be... \$1.25

Sweaters Cheap.

Men's fancy Gray Mixed, also Plain Ecrú Sweaters, regular price 50 cents, on Friday at... 23¢

Muslin Underwear

May Sale Friday Bargains.

CORSET COVERS, worth 15 cents, on Friday at... 9 Cents
DRAWERS with yoke bands, worth 15 cents, on Friday at... 15 Cents
EMPIRE GOWNS, fine cambric, full sleeves, full length, new style, and worth 55 cents, on Friday at... 59 Cents

Corsets.

Genuine W. B. Corsets, regular price 75¢ on Friday at... 43 Cents

Ventilating Corsets.

VENTILATING CORSETS, new summer goods, worth 60 cents pair; on Friday at... 29 Cents

Millinery.

May Sale Friday Bargains.
FORGET-ME-NOTS, all new; on Friday at... 4 Cents

Sailors! Sailors!

A splendid lot of regular 7-cent Sailors; on Friday at... 49 Cents

Trimmed Hats.

An elegant assortment of Trimmed Hats, both Ladies' and Children's, very cheap on Friday... \$2.50

Laces for a Song.

Lot of Point de Ireland Laces, in the new Butter Color, plain top and net top, worth 25¢ and 30¢ yard, on Friday at... 5 Cents
Lot of 20-inch wide, will be slaughtered, at... 5 Cents
Lot of 12-inch wide, will be slaughtered, at... 5 Cents

Gloves Cheap

In the May Sale, Lot of Ladies' French Kid Gloves in 6-hook Foster Lacing, all good colors and good sizes, worth 75¢ and 81¢ pair, take them at... 59 Cents
Large lot of Ladies' Super Taffeta Silk Gloves, these are all good colors and good sizes; would be cheap at 50¢ pair; go at... 15 Cents

The Handkerchief Trick.

It's quite a trick to offer such Handkerchiefs at these prices. We know how it is done, and do it so well that competitors fail to discover the secret. We have closely they watch.
Ladies' White Hemstitched and Corded Handkerchiefs, very sheer quality, splendid styles; all go at... 35 Cents
Ladies' White and Colored Hemstitched and Embroidered Handkerchiefs, nice quality, very neat designs, regular value 20¢, at... 10 Cents

A Plum in Fine Writing Papers.

You seldom get a real bargain in fine Stationery. We have been particularly fortunate in securing another big lot of those fine papers we passed around at a giveaway price a month or more ago. There are 500 boxes Paper and 500 boxes Envelopes, they will last about three days and there will not be another lot.
Venetian Vellum, in 6 tints—Cream, Azure, Heliotrope, Shell Rose and Silver Gray—in 8 sizes bill of, octavo and commercial.
Box of 120 sheets Paper (a quarter room) for... 29 Cents
Box of 125 Envelopes to match for... 29 Cents
Paper not sold without envelopes and no boxes broken.

Hosiery Sellers

In the Great May Sale.
Men's Unbleached Half Hose, made of Egyptian Cotton, double heels and toes, cheap at 15¢ pair, go at... 9 Cents
Children's 1x1 Ribbed Fast Black Cotton Hose, with double heels and toes, & to 10, will go Friday at... 12 Cents
Ladies' Fast Black Cotton Hose, these are fine 40-gauge goods, with double heels and toes, where available is most needed, Friday at... 15 Cents
Ladies' 50-cent Lisle Thread Hose, fast blacks, also in boot patterns; we will give you a splendid bargain in these at... 25 Cents

Men's Neckwear.

Summer Washable 4-IN-HANDS, regular price 25 cents; on Friday at... 15 Cents

Men's Underwear.

Fine Balbriggan Undershirts and Drawers, regular price 50 cents; on Friday at... 29 Cents

Ribbed Vests.

A lot of Jersey Ribbed Balbriggan Vests, low neck, no sleeves, fancy crocheting around neck and arms; would be a bargain at 25 cents; go on Friday at... 15 Cents

Colored Skirts.

Fine quality fast black Patent Skirts, full size, with deep flounce, Patent yoke band, worth 50¢, on Friday at... 59 Cents

Bed Spreads and Summer Lap Robes.

Lot of solid White Crochet Bed Spreads, fine quality and large size, regular price \$1.15; you can have them at... 78 Cents
Lot Real Marseilles Quilts, extra large size and fine quality; will be closed out... \$1.58
Lap Robes of Drab Mosaic Cloth, with neat embroidery; these wash nicely; worth \$1.00, at... 68 Cents

Notions and Toilet Articles.

60-inch Tape Measures at... 1 Cent
50 Invisible Hair Pins, in box straight or crimped, worth 50¢, at... 1 Cent
Ladies' Cotton Hose Supporters, black or white, with button clasp, worth 15¢, at... 9 Cents
Ladies' Satin Belt Hose Supporters, button clasp, would be cheap at 60¢; they go at... 19 Cents
Amorita Toilet Soap, worth 10¢, at... 3 Cents
25¢ Tooth Brushes at... 14 Cents
Bone-handled Nail Brushes, worth 25¢, at... 15 Cents
2-quart Rubber Hot Water Bottles, reliable quality, worth 75¢, at... 59 Cents
Ladies' Horn Dressing Combs, worth 15¢, at... 9 Cents

Leather Goods and Belts.

We have made some prices here that will draw your attention and some of your loose change also.
Ladies' Silk Belts, with Silver-plated Buckles, black, cream or navy, 25¢ goods at... 16 Cents
Ladies' Leather Covered Photograph Frames, cabinet size, were 50¢, now... 19 Cents
We tell it just as it is; that's our way; pretty good value, too.
Large Beveled Edge Mirrors, with Imitation Leather Covered Frames, were \$1.50, at... 69 Cents
Hand Mirrors, with adjustable nickel handles and imitation leather frames; worth \$1.50, at... 58 Cents
Ladies' American Seal Leather Chatelaine Bags, leather covered hook, leather straps; were 50¢, now... 48 Cents

Art Needlework.

Fancy Gold Printed Pillow Covers, worth 25¢; on Friday at... 24 Cents
Tinted Duck Table Covers, with Linen Fringe all around, worth 39 Cents; on Friday at... 39 Cents
Large Sheets of Celluloid, regular price 25¢; on Friday at... 5 Cents
Celluloid Photograph Frames, regular price 10¢; on Friday at... 7 Cents

Jewelry.

Celluloid Hair Pins, shell, amber or white, were 15¢, 5 Cents Dozen
Large Celluloid Hair Pins, shell or amber, were 45¢, 14 Cents Dozen
Ladies' Celluloid Shell Hair Pins, in shell, were 25¢, 6 Cents
Ladies' Celluloid Hair Ornaments, in shell, were 25¢, 11 Cents
Sterling Silver Top Hair Ornaments, slightly tarnished; these goods sold for \$1; Friday... 16 Cents

Dress Trimmings and Buttons.

All our \$1.25, \$1.50 and \$1.75 Fine Yokes, Collars, etc., in Jet, Black Silk and Colored Bead; on Friday at... 59 Cents
Colorful Bead Passementerie, regular price 50¢; on Friday at... 31 Cents
1,000 dozen Pure White Carved Buttons for Wash Dresses, were 15¢ and 18¢; on Friday... 10 Cents Dozen

Boys' Clothing.

Don't Spend a Cent on clothes for the boys until you see these fine Suits that we are next to giving away—not our loss, either—the manufacturer is the sufferer. We bought the entire stock of E. J. Adler & Co., manufacturers of Fine Clothing, and commencing to-morrow, will slaughter it worse than ever.

Junior and Reeler Suits, All Brail Trimmed, every Suit all-wool, sizes 3 to 5 years. All the \$3.00 quantities go for... \$1.48
All the \$3.00 quantities go for... \$1.97
All the balance of the stock—about 2,000 Junior Suits and Reeler Suits—worth \$5 to \$7.50 per suit; will go to-morrow at the unheard of price of... \$2.46
Don't miss this on any account.

Double-Breasted Suits.

Four Great Lots, Sizes 6 to 15 Years.
All-wool Double-breasted Suits, with Knee Pants, made to sell at \$3.00, worth \$5.00, go for... \$1.69
All-wool Double-breasted Suits, with Knee Pants, made up to sell at \$2.75, you get them in this great sale at... \$2.78
All-wool Double-breasted Suits, Cheviots, Tweeds and Cassimeres, light and dark colors and plain blue and black, made to sell at \$5.50, go at... \$2.97
All-wool Double-breasted Suits, Cheviots, Tweeds and Cassimeres, light and dark colors, also imported diagonals, Clay Worsters and Tricots, in black and navy blue, worth \$6.00... \$3.76

All-Wool Combination Suits.

Coat, Cap and 2 Pairs of Knee Pants, Sizes, 6 to 15 Years.
All-wool Combination Suits, worth \$5.00, we will sell at... \$2.99
All-wool Combination Suits, made to sell at \$6.00, are yours for... \$3.48
All-wool Combination Suits, in fine qualities, worth \$7.00, at... \$3.97

Long-Pants Suits.

Sizes 12 to 19 Years. Three Great Lots.
\$3.50 All-wool Suits, with long Pants, in splendid cloths, selling at... \$4.97
\$10.50 All-wool Suits, with long Pants, in finer cloths, selling fast at... \$6.96
\$13.50 All-wool Suits, with long Pants, fine Worsters, Tweeds and Serges, going fast at... \$8.48

Sailor Suits.

The Greatest Bargain in Sailor Suits you ever saw, in Navy Blue, Gray or Tan, made for \$5.00, going at... 98¢

A Knee-Pant Cinch.

All-wool Knee Pants, the regular 75¢ and 80¢ quality, going at... 9¢

This is the Greatest Money-Saving Sale This Town Ever Saw.

ROY CULVER'S BODY FOUND.

Had Been Murdered and Thrown Into the Clyde River.

THAT MYSTERIOUS LETTER.

Papers Found Showing Culver Had Been Investigating a Family Estate, as It Claimed.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., May 2.—The body of Roy M. Culver has been found in the Clyde River between Clyde and Savannah. He had been murdered and thrown into the water. He was the young Secretary of the Young Men's Christian Association of Newark, who mysteriously disappeared recently. Culver started from Newark for Syracuse. He did not return when he said he would. Three days later Mr. Ammerman of Newark, his cousin, received a postal card mailed at Syracuse stating he would return on Saturday. In the same mail was received a letter printed in large, rough, distorted hand as follows:
DEAR SIR:—Perhaps by this time you will be somewhat worried about the absence of Roy M. Culver. I have this much to say in regard to the matter. In searching through the genealogical records he discovered my family secret. It is this:
"Many years ago a large property was left to Mr. Culver's ancestors. He never was informed of this fact. My father at that time as a lawyer had entire charge of the transaction and he arranged matters so that Mr. Culver's ancestors were deprived of their rightful inheritance. I have now, after diligent search, proved his claim to this property. He had succeeded to a certain extent, and an appointment was made to meet at Syracuse. I have disposed of him and you will never see him again. I was obliged to do this in order to save myself. He leaves no papers throwing light upon the matter."
The fortune referred to was an immense property consisting of lands, houses and money, well invested, and to-day is one of the largest estates in existence. He has not spoken to any of his friends, intending to surprise them very soon.
"His last words were when I asked him if he wished to say anything to his friends. He said he would do so, and retain for himself everything that was left. Tell Leah to take charge of the place at St. Paul until sold. He finally said: 'Good-bye to all my friends.'"
"This is the end of my story and you will probably never hear from me again. Yours truly, A. STRANGER."
Mr. Ammerman immediately telegraphed to New York for his brother, Cooper Culver, who arrived promptly, and a search of his trunk was made.
They found \$24 and a number of letters concerning Roy's family and estate, many being from persons well-known by the family. But this was the first information the family had ever had that there was any property coming to them.

SPRECKELS SLANDER SUIT.

Money, Says the Young Man, Will Not Restore His Injured Name.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., May 2.—The depositions are being taken in the \$100,000 damage suit of C. A. Spreckels against his father, Claus Spreckels, the sugar king, for alleged slander. C. A. Spreckels devoted several hours yesterday to telling why he sued his father for slander. Claus Spreckels will tell to-day why he made the statements to which his son takes exception. The statement of each will be used in the coming trial. While the young man could not mention any particular occasion where he had suffered a money loss, he said his general reputation had been injured. He said the suit for slander is based on an article published several weeks ago in which Claus Spreckels was quoted as saying that C. A. Spreckels and his younger brother had attempted to defraud him of a large sum of money, and that C. A. Spreckels was a poor business man and would soon be bankrupt.

A Tempest in a Teapot.

The well-known local house, the Globe, N. W. cor. Franklin avenue and Seventh street, has just received a large consignment of men's tan lace shoes, for \$1.25 to \$1.50; ladies' cloth-top button shoes, 70¢; misses' tan spring-heel button shoes, 70¢ and 85¢; misses' and children's Oxfords and spring-heel button shoes, 40¢ and 50¢; boys' shoes from \$1 up.

SEVEN KILLED.

Several Other Persons Injured by a Kansas Cyclone.

HALESTAD, Kan., May 2.—A cyclone traversed a strip of territory several hundred yards wide and sixteen miles long this afternoon, killing seven persons, as follows: Mrs. Joseph Wear, 65-years-old lady, Grace Wear, aged 11, Hermann Wear, aged 5, Mrs. Wm. Armstrong, Mrs. Channing, Daisy Neff, aged 15. Several others were seriously injured. Mrs. Fry's house was the first struck and destroyed. Mrs. Fry being slightly injured. John Stelmach's house was torn to pieces and Joseph Wear's house was swept away and four of the family killed. Mr. Wear fled to a distance away and he clung to a tree. He died of his injuries. Joseph Wear, Jr., and his sister, Maude, escaped by fleeing to the cellar. William Armstrong's house was obliterated and his wife and Mrs. Channing killed. Miss Daisy Neff was killed in the ruins of A. S. Pownell's house. Many dwellings were destroyed and the occupants injured. Dead horses, cattle, hogs, chickens and debris cover the fields. The damage is estimated at \$200,000.

A St. Louis Desperado Wounded.

ST. JOSEPH, Mo., May 2.—Thomas Farrell of St. Louis, who helped rob a Burlington train a year ago, was fatally shot last night. Farrell was in a plot, formed at the St. George Hotel, to rob the north-bound Kansas City, St. Joseph and Council Bluffs express Tuesday and William Haag, proprietor of the hotel, disclosed the bandits' plans and they were thwarted.
Farrell and a companion giving his name as Earl Howard, Politan Barry gave chase and his right hand was shattered by a bullet. Policemen Franks and Shea and Farrell shot twice through the lungs. Howard surrendered.

TRENTON, Mo., May 2.—The Grand Jury has returned indictments against ex-County Clerk R. H. Collier and his deputy, E. B. Cooper, and ex-County Treasurer W. C. Benson.

FISHER, Ill., May 2.—A farmer reported that he saw a kyspy woman throw a child into the Sangamon River. The body of the child has not been recovered and the kyspy woman cannot be found.

\$20.35 to Washington, D. C., and return, via the Baltimore and Ohio Southwestern Railway, May 6th and 7th. Ticket offices 105 N. Broadway and Union Station.

OHIO MINERS.

All Work May Be Stopped in the Hocking Valley.

COLUMBUS, O., May 2.—The Ohio Miners' Association to-day, by committee, informed the operators that a joint session of operators and miners cannot be held until tomorrow. The miners then went into secret session. They began work early. They are very reticent, more so than at the late conference in January, and more than usual. They are divided in opinion upon the question of asking the operators to retain ten cents to go toward the support of certain Pittsburgh miners, who are striking for miners to strike. Delegation was appointed to confer with the Virginia miners, who are not dissatisfied, but may be intimidated by the superior numbers of the West Virginia miners. The people of Pocahontas are armed and ammunition to aid the home miners.

Blood May Flow.

BLUEFIELD, W. Va., May 2.—Not a mine is operating along the Norfolk and Western Railroad, and 15,000 miners met at Keystone yesterday to force the Pocahontas (Va.) miners to strike. Delegation was appointed to confer with the Virginia miners, who are not dissatisfied, but may be intimidated by the superior numbers of the West Virginia miners. The people of Pocahontas are armed and ammunition to aid the home miners.

ADMINISTRATION CONDEMNED.

New York's Assembly Passes an Adverse Resolution.
ALBANY, N. Y., May 1.—In the Assembly today a resolution in condemnation of the course of the National Administration in regard to the British-Nicaraguan affair was introduced by Representative Ainsworth, the Republican leader, the resolution being adopted 81 to 15.

Meals on Wabash Parlor Cars.

Arrangements have been made to serve meals in Parlor Cars now running on trains 44 and 46, between St. Louis and Toledo, and passengers can hereafter get meals on these cars equal to any served at the best hotels, and at moderate prices.

KEELEY'S SECRET.

Must Reveal His Gold Cure in a Kansas Court.

LEAVENWORTH, Kan., May 2.—Judge Myers of the District Court has made a very important order affecting the rights of Dr. Leslie E. Keeley. W. F. Johnson sues Dr. Keeley for \$100,000 damages, the petition reciting that plaintiff has been made a physical wreck because of the gold cure. Judge Myers, in granting plaintiff's request, rules that Dr. Keeley must make known the ingredients of his bi-chemical of gold compound. The last day that the cure is a property right not trade secret; that it is unprotected by a patent, has been in use more than thirty years and there is nothing to prevent Dr. Keeley testifying and that he must tell what it is.

The German Baptist Meeting Deceatur, Ill.

For this occasion the Wabash Railroad will sell tickets May 24 to June 3, inclusive, for all points to Deatur, Ill., at one fare for the round trip, good to return any time up to June 3. This is the only line running direct to the meeting grounds. Be sure and go via the Wabash in order to save delay and trouble in changing from one road to another, either before your arrival at Deatur or after. For time tables, printed matter and other information call on or write to any ticket agent of the Wabash or connecting lines or... C. S. CRANE, General Passenger and Ticket Agent, St. Louis, Mo.

Divorced by Judge Withrow.

Judge Withrow granted Harriet N. Bradley a divorce from John S. Bradley. They were married June 2, 1883, and plaintiff alleges the defendant deserted her Sept. 20, 1888. She was restored to her maiden name, Harriet N. Woodruff.

A Bare-Headed Frank.

Ceased to be a freak when he walked into the Globe, N. W. corner Franklin avenue and Seventh street, and bought one of those \$1.50 and \$1.75 stiff and Fedora hats for \$1.00 and \$1.25. He was allowed to resume his maiden name, Anna F. Gough.

BEER BY PRESCRIPTION.

That Is the Way It Would Be Dispensed in Alaska.

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 2.—For some time the Interior Department has been carrying on a complicated correspondence in regard to the licensing of the manufacture of beer in Alaska. Two persons of Sitka—Miss Paulina Ophen and R. H. Witz—have complied with all of the internal revenue regulations, and would have had the breweries in operation before now but for the refusal of Gov. Sheakley to issue the necessary permits. The last day that the cure is a property right not trade secret; that it is unprotected by a patent, has been in use more than thirty years and there is nothing to prevent Dr. Keeley testifying and that he must tell what it is.

Five Poisoned by a Dentist.

FORT SCOTT, Kan., May 2.—A traveling woman dentist, giving the name of Dr. Albert Oberlin, of St. Louis, who visited Hattiesville, Miss., small village near the Gulf of Mexico, poisoned a number of people with a liquid she applied to her patients' gums. Soon after the operation the patients were invariably taken ill, their faces and hands became discolored, their tongues swollen and their stomachs affected. When the condition of her patients became serious the woman quietly disappeared.

The Badger Murder Trial.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.
CARTHAGE, Mo., May 2.—The trial of

Ebenezer Badger for the murder of Alfred Cox near Pierce City last fall was begun in the Circuit Court here this morning. Badger was tried at Mount Vernon, but the jury failed to agree, five being for acquittal and seven for conviction. Change of venue was then taken to this county.

Southern Baptist Convention, Washington, D. C. \$20.35 for the round trip, May 6th and 7th, via the Baltimore and Ohio Southwestern Railway. Ticket offices 105 N. Broadway and Union Station.

Spokane Springs Arrivals.
Late arrivals at Spokane Springs, Ark., include L. R. Rank, Solomon Hirsch and wife, Thos. E. Collins, G. W. Gale, Mrs. Geo. E. Hawley, Mrs. Norris Greig and child, Robert Metcalf, Hubard F. Ralph.

Expensive.

From the New York Iron Age.
An Atlantic steamer's screw costs about \$20,000.



"Could I have another Glass of that HIRE'S Rootbeer"

EIGHT COUNTIES SWING INTO LINE.

Sending Solid Silver Delegations to the Illinois Convention.

SHARP CONTEST IN GEORGIA.

Judge Hunter Puts Some Plain Questions to Senator John M. Palmer.

Special to the Post-Dispatch. SPRINGFIELD, Ill., May 2.—Eight counties—Saline, Clay, Effingham, Hardin, Jasper, Morgan, Mercer and Lake—have held conventions and chosen delegates to the State Democratic Convention. They send solid silver delegations.

Chairman Hinrichsen and other leaders of the silver movement are in receipt of letters from all parts of the State indicating the extent of sentiment in favor of free coinage. One from the Chairman of the Mercer County Democratic Committee says that a fair estimate of the standing of the party on the silver issue in that county places 90 per cent of the voters in the free coinage column. Similar statements are made by party leaders in many other counties.

Letters received from silver Democrats in St. Clair express the belief that that county may not be represented at the State Convention. The goldites there are led by ex-Gov. Koerner, always a powerful factor in Democratic contests in southern Illinois. Koerner is stoutly opposing the convention. The Central Committee of St. Clair meet Saturday to consider the matter of issuing a call for a county convention. The committee may, however, decline to issue a call. If a call is issued, the delegation chosen will very probably oppose free coinage of silver.

Chairman Hinrichsen says the silver men are not at all averse to the silver movement issued by Postmaster Hening of Chicago in the interests of the bankers, in which he claims that the silver movement is a device to get the German vote of the Democratic party in the State.

LET PALMER ANSWER.

Plain Questions on the Silver Issue Put by Judge Hunter.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., May 2.—Hon. Andrew J. Hunter, ex-Congressman-at-Large from Illinois, has sent an open letter to Senator Palmer. He defines his views on the silver question, and then asks the following questions: "Are you in favor of maintaining the law of 1873 demonetizing silver?" "Are you in favor of the gold standard alone?" "By what authority and from what source do Mr. Cleveland and the self-styled 'free money' Democrats have the right to make a change in the currency of the Democratic party without consulting it?" "By what authority and from what source do the Government when the law provides for the payment of coin, forcing gold loans when there is silver in the Treasury?" "What new emergency has arisen in this country that demands that the Democratic party shall abandon its long-standing principles of more than 100 years' standing on the money question, and accept and adopt the demon and silver coinage?" "Shall the Democratic party be governed in its party and its legislative action by the platform of the Democratic party of the United States or by the President?" "I ask you if silver was not an honest dollar under the Democratic party of the Democratic legislation worth 8 per cent more than gold at the time it was demonetized by the Republican party?" "I further ask you if you have not joined Mr. Cleveland and the self-styled 'free money' Democrats in the silver movement?" "I ask you if you have not joined Mr. Cleveland and the self-styled 'free money' Democrats in the silver movement?" "I ask you if you have not joined Mr. Cleveland and the self-styled 'free money' Democrats in the silver movement?"

"I now ask you further and, I think, important question. Can a man be a good Democrat who uses all his efforts and power to force the Democratic party of its own platform on the money question and to make it a party of the money question?" "I ask you if Mr. Cleveland's financial policy did not cost the Democratic party more than 100,000 votes in the Presidential election of 1892?" "I ask you if Mr. Cleveland's financial policy did not cost the Democratic party more than 100,000 votes in the Presidential election of 1892?" "I ask you if Mr. Cleveland's financial policy did not cost the Democratic party more than 100,000 votes in the Presidential election of 1892?"

KEEP AN EYE ON GEORGIA.

There Will Be a Hot Fight There on the Money Question.

Special to the Post-Dispatch. ATLANTA, Ga., May 2.—From now until the meeting of the State convention to elect delegates to the National Democratic convention, there will be hot times in this commonwealth. It will be a fight between the advocates of free coinage of silver under the leadership of Mr. Crisp and the men headed by Smith to dominate the sentiment of the State, one quite as spirited as the struggle now being conducted in Illinois between the two factions of the Democracy, dividing on the silver line.

Georgia holds the same relative position to the Atlantic seaboard States that Illinois does to the Mississippi valley in point of importance, both as a political and business center. The influence of Georgia upon the neighboring States has increased to a striking degree in both these respects in the last few years. Georgia newspapers circulate extensively throughout the Southern States, the political leaders of Georgia are well known and men of influence, while Atlanta, as the center of the industrial new South, is in close and sympathetic touch with business interests and enterprises south of Mason and Dixon's line.

The Administration Democrats will certainly fail, but they are in the fight and will make the best showing possible.

NO ACTION TAKEN.

Result of the Meeting at Jefferson City to Discuss Silver.

Special to the Post-Dispatch. JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., May 3.—The conference to take action on the question of calling a State convention on the free silver question adjourned last night without discussing the subject. After Hall of Saline had called the meeting to order and Julian of Kansas City had made a speech in support of a general discussion as to whether a newspaper representative should be permitted to remain. This was decided affirmatively, and then Davidson of Marion said that in view of the fact that there were no meetings and could not attend, he moved that the meeting adjourn. The motion was carried.

THE TWO PLATFORMS.

Sensor Jones Predicts What the Money Planks Will Be.

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 2.—Senator Jones of Arkansas, a delegate from the Senate to the proposed international monetary conference, says he knows of no pro-

'TIS YET SPRING.

May the Last of the Three Great Months.

The Close of Nature's Yearly Revival Season.

Recovery Is Now the Most Rapid and Lasting.

Paine's Celery Compound Makes Vigorous Nerves.

It Purifies the Blood as Nothing Else Can Possibly Do.

As a spring remedy, Paine's celery compound stands easily first in the careful judgment of the physicians of this country. This remarkable discovery of Prof. Edward E. Paine, M. D., D. of Dartmouth College, is in fact so certainly first in the estimation of thinking men and women in every clime throughout the United States to-day that there can fairly be said to be no second.

For strengthening the sick, restoring the spent energies of those who have become nervously exhausted, for purifying the blood and making people well, Paine's celery compound has never yet been approached by any preparation, tonic or nervine. It is as superior to them all as strength is superior to weakness. The remarkable results from the use of this great remedy are to-day known at first hand in every city and village in America.

The people are to-day thoroughly satisfied by personal experience that Paine's celery compound makes people well.

Where the nerves have not been properly fed and neuritis, nervousness, inability to sleep, rheumatism and such evidences of debility have entered, Paine's celery compound has created a new appetite, restored lost strength and given courage, new blood and a strong, healthy will to live and get well. Try it.

gress made toward the holding of the conference. He gave it as his opinion that the Democrats in their next national convention will declare for free coinage of silver, independent of action by the law and the Republicans for bimetalism and an international agreement.

DISCHARGED AND BEATEN.

Janitor Reha of the Four Courts Has a Lively Time on His Wedding Day.

It is pretty hard lines for a man to be discharged on his wedding day, but when he is nearly killed in the bargain he has reason to kick. Frank Reha, one of the janitors at the Four Courts, brought all this upon himself Thursday morning. Wednesday night, while on duty, he was called to the room of a woman who had been arrested. He was to be married at 7 o'clock on Thursday morning at the residence of his father, 287 Lemp avenue. He asked for a day off and he got it.

Thursday morning Reha presented himself at the Four Courts pretty much the worse for what appeared to have been an all night revel. He insisted upon entering the janitor's room in spite of all objections. Klemm took exception to Reha's condition and told him he was discharged. Reha insisted upon entering the room, Klemm, who is a short-legged, pug-nosed little fellow, smote him on the cheek. Hostilities commenced at once, and it wasn't two minutes after the two mingled that they were rolling all over the floor.

Reha got considerably the worst of it, and was in condition. They were finally separated.

JUDGE COOMBS' SLAYERS.

Field and Adkins Found Guilty by the Jury.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., May 2.—A special to the Post from Barboursville, Ky., says: The jury in the trial of Field and Adkins for the murder of Judge Coombs returned a verdict of guilty. They will get a life sentence.

ILLINOIS NEWS.

CENTRALIA.

A team from the Crescent Gun Club is figuring on entering a shooting match at Carbondale next Friday.

R. Moore and Miss Edith Merritt had an exciting and dangerous experience with a runaway horse Sunday.

The Vandalia District conference of the M. E. Church is being held in Zenia. Mrs. Jap Birge will leave to-morrow for Texas.

Mrs. J. J. Wetmore and daughter, Eunice, of Chicago, are the guests of A. M. Wetmore.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Davis and Mrs. Norman, formerly in St. Louis, are expected to arrive in St. Louis this morning for a two weeks' visit with their daughter, Mrs. J. J. Davis.

Pierce Duncan and Y. E. Els have purchased the one-third interest in the Tower Grove addition to this city.

MLANSBORO.

Reports from all over this (Hamilton) County show that the prospect for fruit of all kinds and wheat, oats and grass is for the finest crops known for over fifteen years.

The city is considering the question of issuing bonds to grade the principal street put in water-works and an electric light plant.

AVISTON.

Mr. John Schuelke and Miss Treva Brondt were married in this village this morning at the R. C. Church, Rev. F. Lohman officiating.

Duestrow Going Violently Insane. Would evidently be pleasing to his attorneys, but the Globe, N. W. cor. Franklin avenue and Seventh, offers something more than pleasing to the general public. Men's soft negligee shirts, 25c, 30c and 40c; men's laundered negligee shirts, 45c, 60c and 75c. The celebrated "Eagle" and "Star" negligee shirts, 25c and 35c; men's good ballbearing underwear, natural and fancy colors, 25c, 35c and 45c; full assortment of sported English and French ballbearing underwear, 25c, 35c and 45c; special sale of men's double-breasted fancy wash vests, 50c to 75c; boys' fancy waists and blouses, 25c and 40c; "Star" waists, 30c, 40c and 50c.

New Missouri Corporations. JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., May 2.—Secretary of State Lessor to-day issued certificates of incorporation to the following companies: Missouri Lamp and Manufacturing Co., St. Louis; capital, \$5,000. The Senate Wine and Liquor Co., St. Louis; capital, \$5,000.

Gas stoves and refrigerators, best in the world, cash or time. Ingalls, 1108 Olive.

Another Hat

Sale in the Great Millinery House Begins To-Morrow.

You can't have too many Hats, provided you can get them cheap enough.

Over 3,000 Untrimmed Hats, Samples of Ladies', Misses' and Children's Shapes—Just closed out Three Manufacturers and got them for a song. Have divided them into three lots at:

LOT 1, 5c; LOT 2, 19c; LOT 3, 39c.

And we will show you how to trim them or trim them free while you wait. Isn't that liberal? Many of them cost \$1.25. Come early for first choice.

Elegant Leghorns

for Children, trimmed with wreaths and ribbons, worth \$1.45

CHILD'S SCHOOL HATS—Imported Leghorn Flats 19c

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Agnettes 12c

Imported Flowers of every description, even up to \$1 for 19c

Rose Montures, all colors, 7c

Long Cut-Jet Hat Pins 5c

Veils, choice of several at 9c

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Popular shades, 39c

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JAPAN MAY YIELD TO RUSSIA

And Change the Terms of the Shimomoseki Treaty.

GREAT ANXIETY AT TOKIO.

China Said to Have Been Advised by This Country to Sign the Agreement.

PARIS, May 2.—The Matin to-day says that Japan is treating with Russia, France and Germany, and that a peaceful settlement of the matters in dispute, arising from Russia's objections to the terms of the treaty arrived at between China and Japan, is probable.

The Gaulois asserts that the three western powers desire to achieve a diplomatic victory, adding that Japan is inclined to accept a territorial concession in another direction, which is agreeable to Russia.

GIFT TO THE MIKADO.

China's Emperor Sends 200 Bolts of Fine Silk.

YANCOUBURG, Columbia, May 2.—Advices brought by the Empress of China states that the Emperor of China has sent over 200 bolts of the most valuable silk to the Emperor of Japan as a token of his friendly feelings toward the Japanese.

A gentleman who recently examined the Ling Yuen, the Chinese ironclad sunk at Wei Hai Wei, says the vessel is submerged in the water rolling all over the top. The upper deck only being visible. She was lying on an island with her funnels broken off and her machinery and other articles on board strewn about in confusion.

A Chinese sailor, who was on the Ling Yuen when she was sunk by a torpedo, told him he was struck by the torpedo everything, including her heavy guns, was thrown up in the air by the shock of the explosion.

Among the passengers on board the Empress was J. H. Koon, of Hong Kong. When interviewed regarding the effect the war is likely to have on commerce in the Orient he said it would greatly stimulate trade and largely assist in the opening up of China.

DIPPING INTO TROUBLE.

Has This Government Advised China to Make Peace With Japan?

Special to the Post-Dispatch. WASHINGTON, D. C., May 2.—Has the United States Government intimated to China that her interests will be subserved by the prompt ratification of the peace treaty?

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Their personal habits were disgusting in the extreme. I learned in a casual way that we had on board our steamer forty convicts, taken from the jails to augment the Spanish forces. This practice has become general in Spain, and the jails of the country are being drained for the purpose of supplying the Spanish army.

"Among the insurgents I found intelligent men and good leaders. They are a well disciplined lot, and they are all fighting for a common cause. I was surprised at the splendid manner in which they were handled. One night during Holy Week, 1,000 volunteers in a fortress at Santiago decided to join the insurgents. Officers and men marched out of the town, taking arms and ammunition with them. They were received inside the insurgent lines with cheers and the firing of salutes. There is good Cuban blood in this fight, and it is the opinion of all who have seen the English in Cuba that the insurgents are going to win."

MAXIMO GOMEZ, DICTATOR.

He Is So Proclaimed by the Cuban Insurgents.

Special Correspondence of the Post-Dispatch. HAVANA, May 2.—Maximo Gomez has been proclaimed by the insurgents dictator of the Island of Cuba. According to the latest advices, Gomez and Marti landed in the neighborhood of Guantanamo April 13, with upward of eighty men, a large proportion of whom were Cuban volunteers.

The expedition started from Jamaica on a German merchant vessel and landed at Guantanamo on April 13. They received from the Cuban volunteers numerous orders, contrived to leave the island and to ply their expeditions to the expedition of the large quantity of arms and ammunition.

Gomez responded by letter with some of the insurgent chiefs, presumably Maximo and Gomez among others. He has been proclaimed by the Cuban insurgents dictator of the Island of Cuba.

The answer the leaders gave him, according to rumor, was that they would listen to nothing but the independence of Cuba, that if independence is granted they are willing to accept a Spanish protectorate; but if it is not, they will fight the hardest they are for their righteous cause.

The Spanish government, Havana, daily grows more indifferent to the revolution.

MORE TROOPS FOR CUBA.

Spain Has No Sincere in Crushing the Rebellion.

Special Correspondence of the Post-Dispatch. HAVANA, Cuba, April 25.—Cable advices from Madrid announced that 25,000 more troops will be shipped to Cuba next week, having been called for in a hurry by Gen. Martinez Campos.

This is strong proof that the revolution is not being crushed, and that the local newspapers continue to assure the public that the uprising does not amount to anything more than a disturbance.

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IN HIS BED.

Dr. Jeremiah S. B. Alleyne Dies Suddenly of Apoplexy.

WAS AN OLD PRACTITIONER.

Graduated From the St. Louis Medical College in 1848, and Held Chairs in Several Local Schools.

Dr. Jeremiah S. B. Alleyne, one of the oldest practitioners in St. Louis, was found dead of apoplexy, in bed, at his home, 2016 Easton avenue, at 6 a.m.

Dr. Alleyne's sudden demise was a shocking surprise to his family and friends. Though somewhat feeble, owing to his advanced age, he was otherwise in the best of health, and had expressed himself as feeling better the last few days than he had for years.

The weather early last evening being so balmy and agreeable, Dr. Alleyne concluded to pay a visit to his old friend, Dr. J. P. Litton. Dr. Litton, who is quite an elderly



gentleman, lives with his brother, Mr. C. Litton, at 2220 Eugene street. Dr. Alleyne was a pupil of his brother's at the St. Louis Medical College, and for the past twelve years, he had been his family physician.

Dr. Alleyne walked over to the house. He spent the evening there chatting, and after the rain ceased, walked home. He was in a very cheerful humor, so much so, in fact, that Dr. Litton's niece remarked how well he was feeling.

"Yes," Dr. Alleyne replied, "if my health only keeps up this way during the summer, I will be all right."

Dr. Alleyne went home and retired as usual. This morning he was awake very early, for a member of his household spoke to him. When his daughter, Mrs. Von Schroeder, went to call him for breakfast at 7 o'clock she found him lying on his back, his arms and legs extended. She hurriedly sent for Dr. T. A. Morton, of 2300 Easton avenue, but when he arrived he pronounced the old gentleman dead.

Word was immediately sent to his old friends, Dr. Litton, Dr. Ellsworth Smith, Dr. Mudd and others. They were all painfully surprised at the intelligence, and all called at his late home during the morning to offer condolences.

Dr. Alleyne was 68 years old Dec. 11 last. He was born in Boston, but moved with his parents when but 12 years old. He attended the St. Louis University and after graduating from the classical course at that institution took a course in the St. Louis Medical College, which was then a branch of the University. He graduated therefrom in the class of 1848. He has practiced medicine in St. Louis since 1854, and has since that time held his office at Nineteenth and Carr streets. Later he moved his residence to 2300 Washington street, where he has since resided. He was a member of the St. Louis Medical Society for almost a half-century, and was its president in 1864, its treasurer in 1865 and 1866 and its corresponding secretary in 1867.

Dr. Alleyne married Miss Henrietta Steadman of Boston in 1858. She survives him. One child is also living, Mrs. Fred M. Schroeder, wife of Capt. Von Schroeder, U. S. A., now stationed at Louisville.

The funeral arrangements have not yet been perfected.

WONDERS OF RELATIONSHIP.

Man Committed Suicide After Finding He Was His Own Grandfather.

In an old scrapbook which has been in the family of the editor of "Notes for the Curious" for twenty-five or thirty years, and which contains a number of clippings without date, I find the following: "William Harman, who committed suicide at Titusville, Fla., a short time since, did so because some one had convinced him that he was his own grandfather. Here is a copy of the singular letter he left, in which he told how he had grown up, and how his father visited upon, fell in love with my stepdaughter and married her. He was the son of my son-in-law, and my stepdaughter became my mother, because she was my father's wife. Both after the son gave birth to a son, which, of course, was the father's brother-in-law, and my uncle, for he was the brother of my mother's father. My father was also the mother of a son. He was, of course, my brother, and also my grandfather. My mother was my daughter. Accordingly my wife was my grandmother, because she was my mother's mother. I was my wife's husband and grandchild at one and the same time. And as the husband of a person's grandmother is his grandfather, I was my own grandfather." It was it any wonder that the poor man did himself of such tangled relationship?

How It Looked to Pat.

From the San Francisco Argonaut.

A member of the legal profession of very distinctive size was elected to the bench some years ago, in a Pennsylvania town, and one of the first cases before his honor was that of a brawny Irishman of colossal figure. The son of Erin had committed an assault and battery, and was told to stand up by the Court. The defendant did so, and though he was 6 feet 6 inches tall, he could barely see the judge's face. "Not that I am afraid of you," he said, "but I am afraid of the judge's face. I can't see it."

Oh, No, Never!

From the San Francisco Argonaut.

Mr. James Parn was once instructing some young lady friends in the art of scientific waltz, and they told him that their family play the penultimate in the novel of one of his fair pupils. "Not that I know of," she answered, very sweetly. "Sophie plays the piano and the harp; but we none of us play the penultimate."

New Use for the Cyclopedia.

Build another novel. In a cyclotron, the chimney sweeps' cyclotron. Residents in Britain, a suburb of London, have been somewhat startled by the appearance of an individual of sable and somber appearance, who, standing around a cyclotron, to which his bare legs and other apparatus are attached, was none other than the well known Mrs. Cyclopedia.

It will pay to visit Furniture, Refrigerator, Rug, Trunk, Matting and Baby Carriage Department, Third Floor—Four Elevators.

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Great Sale of "Seconds" in HANDKERCHIEF DEPARTMENT Begins Friday.

The manufacturer who called these seconds stakes his reputation on the quality of his goods, therefore only a roughened thread that you or I would never notice has given you the chance to buy these lovely handkerchiefs at half price, and as an announcement of this kind always taxes the capacity of the department to its utmost we suggest early visits. Note these remarkable prices:

- Ladies' White H. S. Pure Linen Handkerchiefs, worth 15c each, 4 for 60c.
- Ladies' White H. S. Pure Linen Handkerchiefs, worth 17c each, 4 for 68c.
- Ladies' White H. S. Pure Linen Handkerchiefs, worth 20c each, 4 for 80c.
- Ladies' White H. S. Pure Linen Handkerchiefs, worth 25c each, 4 for 100c.
- Ladies' White H. S. Pure Linen Handkerchiefs, worth 30c each, 4 for 120c.
- Ladies' White H. S. Pure Linen Handkerchiefs, worth 35c each, 4 for 140c.
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- Ladies' White H. S. Pure Linen Handkerchiefs, worth 45c each, 4 for 180c.
- Ladies' White H. S. Pure Linen Handkerchiefs, worth 50c each, 4 for 200c.
- Ladies' White H. S. Pure Linen Handkerchiefs, worth 55c each, 4 for 220c.
- Ladies' White H. S. Pure Linen Handkerchiefs, worth 60c each, 4 for 240c.
- Ladies' White H. S. Pure Linen Handkerchiefs, worth 65c each, 4 for 260c.
- Ladies' White H. S. Pure Linen Handkerchiefs, worth 70c each, 4 for 280c.
- Ladies' White H. S. Pure Linen Handkerchiefs, worth 75c each, 4 for 300c.
- Ladies' White H. S. Pure Linen Handkerchiefs, worth 80c each, 4 for 320c.
- Ladies' White H. S. Pure Linen Handkerchiefs, worth 85c each, 4 for 340c.
- Ladies' White H. S. Pure Linen Handkerchiefs, worth 90c each, 4 for 360c.
- Ladies' White H. S. Pure Linen Handkerchiefs, worth 95c each, 4 for 380c.
- Ladies' White H. S. Pure Linen Handkerchiefs, worth 100c each, 4 for 400c.

There's a special charm about Barr's that you'll find nowhere else. The broad aisles, the strong light that falls direct on the DRESS GOODS and reveals all their beauty of texture and weave, all attractions that our customers have learned to value. Add to that a price range only possible to such houses as Barr's, and you'll never wonder that it's the "always busy store."

At 23c The yard—A midweek bargain in French Challies; every thread finest, wave, generous width, 18 inches, value, 30c; this lot, 23c.

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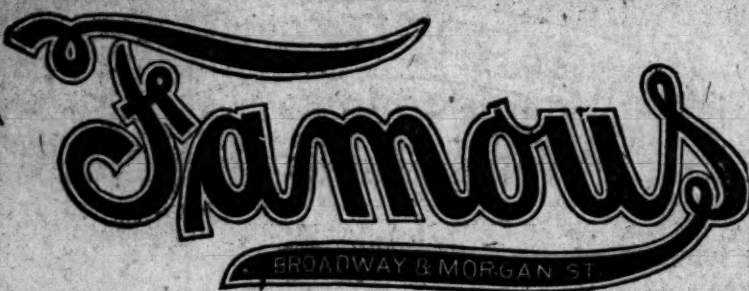
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COME IN AND HELP YOURSELF TO WHAT YOU WANT AT ABOUT HALF ACTUAL VALUES.



MAY SALE

TO-MORROW MORNING!

We shall interest those who know the value of a dollar as never before. Money Saved! Money Made! will be the magnets which will attract, and you have our assurance of Complete, Entire, Unqualified Satisfaction or Your Money Back for the asking.

MATCHLESS MAY SALE OFFERINGS FOR THE LADIES!

150 Pure Silk WHITE PARASOLS.....	89c
250 fancy bone and carved handles Gloria Umbrellas, red, blue, brown and black, paragon frames, worth \$1.50, at	79c
MISSES' Imported Hermsdorf Dye Fast Black Cotton Hose, guaranteed stainless, regular 25c quality.....	15c
150 Ladies' Blue and Red Silk Gloria Umbrellas, fancy handles, regular \$2 quality.....	\$1.48
25 extra fine hand-painted White Silk Parasols, the regular \$9 grade, at	\$5.48
BLACK Lace-Trimmed Parasols, worth \$8, at.....	\$4.98
LISLE Thread Lace-Trimmed Ladies' Vests, regular 75c goods. By a lucky venture we can sell at.....	35c
25 dozen Ladies' Balbriggan and natural gray Combination Suits, good value at 50c, at.....	19c
CHILDREN'S Egyptian Ribbed Vests and Pants, blue, gray and unbleached, worth 40c, at.....	25c
LADIES' full regular made Black Hose, the 25c kind, at.....	15c
LADIES' Pure Silk Vests, the \$1.25 kind, at.....	65c
LADIES' Pure Silk HOSE, former price \$1.75.....	98c
CHILDREN'S Seamless Fast Black Hose, well worth 15c.....	10c
CHILDREN'S elegant fine quality Tan Hose, worth 40c, at.....	25c
LADIES' extra fine quality fancy top opera length Hose, reduced from 75c, at.....	25c
LADIES' drop stitch Tan Hose, the 50c kind, at.....	35c
LADIES' fancy top Hose, drop stitch, black boots, regular 15c kind.....	10c
LADIES' silk-finish regular made Hose, worth 30c, at.....	17c
LADIES' Neckwear for Shirt Waists, Tecks and Four-in-Hands, others ask 50c, our price.....	25c
LADIES' Black Hose, 1 the 15c kind.....	8c
LADIES' Egyptian Yarn Vests, worth 25c, at.....	15c
Elegant line of fancy De Joinville Scarfs, worth 50c, at.....	25c
Fancy weaves Four-in-Hands for Ladies.....	10c



MILLINERY!

Our April business doubling all past records has naturally left us some odds and ends. We are going to close them out quickly, and ask your early and careful inspection.

OUR ENTIRE TRIMMED HAT STOCK

Including all our Pattern Hats and Bonnets, over 700 to select from, no two the same, at SPECIAL CLEARANCE SALE PRICES, as follows:

Any TRIMMED HAT in stock worth up to \$3.00.....	Your Choice \$1.98
Any TRIMMED HAT in stock worth up to \$5.00.....	Your Choice \$2.98
Any TRIMMED HAT in stock worth up to \$6.00.....	Your Choice \$3.98
Any TRIMMED HAT in stock worth up to \$10.00.....	Your Choice \$4.98

HATS.

1 table 75 dozen Dress Shapes in fancy straw, worth from 50c to 75c..... 25c
SAILORS Trimmed Knox Shape in blue, brown, black and white, worth \$1.00..... 29c
1 table 30 dozen FLATS in chip, mohair and fancy straw, worth from 75c to \$1.50..... 49c
LEGHORN FLATS—The biggest bargain ever offered in both white and black; also some with lace edges worth from \$1.50 to \$2.25..... 98c

NOTION SUNDRIES

2 dozen Hooks and Eyes..... 1c
6-inch Tape Measure..... 1c
12 packages Hair Pins..... 5c
24 sheets Paper and Envelopes in fancy box..... 5c
1 dozen spools Cotton..... 5c

POCKET BOOKS, assorted

lots, worth 25c..... 10c

SHOPPING BAGS, large size.....

19c

BELTS, in tan or black leather.....

25c

FANS, Fancy Japan Fans.....

5c

FANS, Elegant Feather Fans.....

25c

VEILINGS—Double width, chenille dot, fancy mesh Veiling, worth 50c.....

25c

SOAP COSMO, 3 cakes in box.....

15c

FLOWERS.

Nowhere So Cheap.

Nowhere Such a Variety.

175 dozen ROSES, with Buds and Foliage, worth 25c..... 5c

WREATHS made of Velvet Forget-Me-Not, an extra big bargain, worth 50c..... 19c

25c WREATHS 25c

200 dozen Assorted Morning Glories, Daisies, Apple Blossoms and other small flowers, all mixed with grasses, worth from 50c to \$1..... 25c

Silk and ROSES Silk and Velvet 2 Roses and Buds in a bunch, worth 35c..... 15c

Given Away—40 dozen BLACK PLUMES, Our regular \$1.00 quality..... 25c

200 Dozen JETTED AIGRETTES, worth 30c..... 5c

19c

Every Cap worth from 50c to 75c. Slightly soiled from being in window.

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LACES.

Led to the slaughter. We are candid and will admit we are OVERSTOCKED and must unload at once. Cost is not considered. Entire stock will be thrown out and divided into lots, nothing reserved. Whole Stock must go. Each lot comprises both.

LACES AND EMBROIDERIES.

Cannot describe qualities of goods as are assorted in each lot.

Let 1—75c pieces of Lace from 1/4 to 2 inches wide, worth from 5c to 10c..... 2c

Let 2—200 pieces White and Butter Lace and Embroideries from 1/4 to 4 inches wide, worth from 10c to 15c..... 5c

Let 3—Will comprise Laces and Embroideries worth up to 25c..... 10c

Let 4—Will have exquisite goods worth 25c to 35c..... 15c

Other lots will range from 25c to 50c, worth as much as \$1.00 a yard.

PERFUME Any 1/2 Bottle..... 12c

Worth 25c. Ounce

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LADIES' SPRING CAPES.

150 Ladies Cloth Capes, navy, black, brown and tan, lace trimmed and edged, value \$6.00..... \$1.98

175 Ladies' Cloth Capes, all shades, double capes and perforated silk lining, value up to \$10.00..... \$5.00

SAMPLE CAPES.

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OPPOSITION SALE!

May Sale Prices Will Be Smashed to Atoms.
Expect More for Your Money Here Than Elsewhere. You Will Not Be Disappointed.

Skirts. Broadcloth and Cheviot Skirts, 4 yards wide, regular price \$3.75, Opposition Sale Price, **\$1.69**
Suits. Crepon Skirt, lined throughout, in navy and black, worth \$5.00, Opposition Sale Price, **\$2.50**
Storm Serge Skirts, extra wide, lined and interlined with hair cloth, were \$7.50, Opposition Sale Price, **\$3.75**
Fancy Dress Skirts of finest imported storm serge, regular price \$9.75, Opposition Sale Price, **\$4.85**
Our finest Figured Satin Skirts, a regular tailor-made skirt, sold all season at \$22.50, Opposition Sale Price, **\$10.00**
Serge Suit, double breasted, tight fitting, in navy and black, large full sleeves and full skirt, worth \$7.50, Opposition Sale Price, **\$3.95**

Notions 50 boxes blocked Imperial Linen Tapes, worth 10c, Opposition Sale Price, piece, **5c**
100 boxes Dorcas' Ball Knitting Cotton, black, white or colors, worth 65c, Opposition Sale Price, **4c**
200 pairs of Women's Belt Hose Supporters, black or white, worth 25c pair, Opposition Sale Price, **15c**
500 pieces Silk Binding Ribbons, all colors, worth 12 1/2c, Opposition Sale Price, **8c**
Best quality Silvered Safety Pins, all sizes, worth 2c, Opposition Sale Price, **2c**
50 boxes Bias, American Waterproof Skirt Facing, worth 25c, Opposition Sale Price, **18c**

Art Goods 20-inch Fancy China Silk Down Pillows with four-inch ruffle all around, worth \$1.75, Opposition Sale Price, **98c**
24x24 Tinted and Embroidered Denim Art Squares (assorted colors) worth 35c, Opposition Sale Price, **25c**
20x20 Tinted and Embroidered Art Squares, with Linen fringe all around, worth 65c, Opposition Sale Price, **49c**

Linen dept. 50 dozen 20x42 Bleached Huck Towels (all linen,) worth 20c, Our Opposition Sale Price, **15c**
50 2 1/2-yard knotted fringe Table Sets, with colored borders, worth \$4.50 the set, Our Opposition Sale Price, **\$2.37**
Friday only,
10 pieces 66-inch extra super Cream Damask, well worth 75c, Our Opposition Sale Price, Friday only, **53c**
Hemmed Damask Towels, 24 inches wide, a yard and a quarter long, with colored borders, selling at 35c, Our Opposition Sale Price, each, **21c**
Two special bargains in Bed Spreads at 79c and 95c each—extra large size and equal to anything elsewhere at one-third more money.

Millinery ...

Grand Opening of Summer Fashions at Popular Prices
... TO-MORROW ...

SPECIAL—200 Stylishly Trimmed Hats, worth \$5.00 to \$7.00, Opposition Sale Prices, **\$2.95 and \$3.49**
500 Beautifully Trimmed Hats, worth \$10.00, Opposition Sale price, **\$4.95**
300 dozen Imported Straw Hats in fine Armour and Fancy Straw Braids, latest summer shapes, worth \$1.75, Opposition Sale Price, **69c**

Children's Reefers Children's all-wool Reefers, colors navy, cardinal brown and mixtures, worth \$1.25, Opposition Sale Price, **59c**
Children's Reefers, all colors, all ages, plain or braid trimmed, with regular or sailor collars, regular price \$2.50, Opposition Sale Price, **\$1.00**
Children's Fancy Reefers, in solid colors or fancy mixtures, some of the noblest reefers shown this season, were \$3.75 and \$4.50, Opposition Sale Price, **\$1.95**

Parasols Beautiful creations—fresh from world's famous makers, in all the new shades.
200 White China Silk Parasols, Dresden knob handles, worth \$1.75, Opposition Sale Price, **87c**
100 children's fancy changeable Surah Silk Parasols, with neat handles, worth 75c, Opposition Sale Price, **49c**
150 26-inch black Union Silk Umbrellas with crook handles, worth \$1.25, Opposition Sale Price, **98c**

Laces 10,000 yards hand-some Oriental Laces, worth 10c a yd., Opposition Sale Price, **6c**
A lot of Oriental Laces worth 30c, Opposition Sale Price, **12c**

White Goods Dept. Lot of Sheer Striped India Linens, 10c goods, Our Opposition Sale Price, **6 1/2c**
50 pieces Lawn Plaid, the 12 1/2c quality, Our Opposition Sale Price, **8 1/2c**
Main floor, **84c**

Men's Neckwear A lot of Men's fine Silk Ties in Tucks and Four-in-Hands, others are asking 35c, Opposition Sale Price, **19c**

Men's Underwear A lot of Men's and Boys' ribbed Balbriggan Shirts and Drawers, others are asking 50c, Opposition Sale Price, **50c** Per suit.



China Dept. Just received another shipment of those English Tinted Underglaze Jardiniere, in sizes from 6 to 10 inches, **24c** Up
Opposition Sale Price, **58c**
Vienna China Cups and Saucers, Fruit Plates, Sauce Plates, Cream Jugs, tinted and decorated (limited quantity left) Opposition Sale Price, **10c**
Special Sales in Cut Glass and Silverware at greatly reduced prices.

When Advertisements are Backed Up by Strict Truth There Can be but One Result—Crowded House. We Will be Very Busy To-Morrow. The Talk of St. Louis is Our Great

Muslin Undergarments. 50 dozen good Muslin Gowns, fine tucked yokes, made with large full sleeves, worth 65c, Opposition Sale Price **39c**
Ladies' Night Gowns, made of the best muslin, trimmed in fine Swiss embroidery, regular price \$1.00, Opposition Sale Price, **65c**

Children's Aprons. A lot of Children's Aprons, cross barred and nainsook muslin, trimmed with ruffles, all sizes, worth up to \$1.25, Opposition Sale Price, **25c**
A lot of Children's Corded Caps, double ruch, worth 25c, Opposition Sale Price, **5c**

Lining Dept. Simpson's U. S. 5c. Fine Percale lines, all colors and fast black 7 1/2c goods, Our Opposition Sale Price, **5c**
23-inch Genuine Hair Cloth, in black or gray, sold everywhere at 39c, Our Opposition Sale Price **39c**

Laundry Waists 50 dozen Shirt Waists, large full sleeves, worth 45c, Opposition Sale Price, **45c**
A lot of Waists in Penang and 89c, Opposition Sale Price, **98c**

Hosiery A lot of Ladies' Fast Hose, 7c, Opposition Sale Price, **7c**

Wash Fabrics. The Swivel Silks are moving fast! They are the best quality imported goods, identical goods sold elsewhere at 58c, Our Opposition Sale Price, **29c**
100 pieces imported Sateens, mainly blues, fine quality, the same as usually sold at 35c. Our Opposition Sale Price, **15c**
25 pieces rich satin striped India Linen—imported goods—printed in neat designs, should sell at 35c, Our Opposition Sale Price, **12 1/2c**
40 pieces finest quality Scotch Cheviot Shirtings, this season's importation, new styles, 50c is the price asked for them elsewhere, Our Opposition Sale Price, **29c**

Corsets. At 39c—50 dozen elegant Summer Corsets, long waist and good shape, worth 65c, Opposition Sale Price, **39c**

Children's Dresses Penang Dresses for children, ages 4 to 14 years, former price \$1.00, Opposition Sale Price, **49c**
Beautiful Gingham Dresses, ages 4 to 14 years, former price \$1.25, Opposition Sale Price, **69c**
Chambray finish Percale Dresses, beautiful colorings, braid trimmed, all ages, former price \$2.00, Opposition Sale Price, **\$1.00**

Ladies' Knit Underwear A lot of Ladies' Jersey Ribbed Vests, low neck, no sleeves, others are asking 19c, Opposition Sale Price, **10c**

Boys' Waists A lot of Boys' Blouse Waists, made from fine outing cloth, others are asking 75c, Opposition Sale Price, **27c**

COOPER WOULD NOT ANSWER.

The Chicago Merchant Objects to the Illinois Senate's Inquiry.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., May 2.—The Senate devoted its time yesterday to hearing Frank H. Cooper of the firm of Siegel, Cooper & Co. of Chicago explain why he refused to answer certain questions propounded to him by the special committee which is investigating the department stores. Mr. Cooper was brought in by the Sergeant-at-Arms, having been previously summoned to appear and show cause why he should not answer the questions. All of the questions related to the business of his firm—how much it paid for advertising, what were the profits of its business, what salaries it paid, etc. These, Mr. Cooper said, were altogether beyond the scope of the inquiry which the committee was authorized to make, and related only to the private business of his firm. The matter was discussed at length by the Senate. Mr. Johnson made a motion that it be declared the judgment of the Senate that Mr. Cooper be not required to answer. This motion was pending when the Senate adjourned. It is improbable that the Senate will insist upon an answer to the questions.

PENSIONING CONFEDERATES.

Gen. Rollins and Other G. A. R. Men Favor It.

DENVER, Colo., May 2.—Gen. Rollins, in a speech at the State encampment of the Grand Army, declared in favor of pensioning soldiers of the Confederacy. The convention received the recommendations with marked approval and a special committee will probably be appointed to present the matter to the national encampment at Pittsburg next September.

PARKHURST'S TRIP ABROAD.

He Will Travel in Russia to Study Social Conditions.

NEW YORK, May 2.—Dr. Parkhurst will sail for Europe on June 5, to be gone until Sept. 20. For several years past his vacations have been spent in Switzerland. This time he will go to Russia.

IS IT MURDER?

A Wagon and Team Found and the Owner Mysteriously Missing.

SEDALIA, Mo., May 2.—Last Sunday near the farm of Judge Chilton, four miles north of Smithton, was found a wagon and two horses, one a bay and the other black, which had evidently belonged to some one who had been in camp at the spot. A search failed to locate the owner, and it is now supposed that he was murdered for his money by a number of men who were seen following him. It is thought that the body is in a cave near by. On the feed box of the wagon is painted, "Baxter Springs, Ark." while at different places on the wagon are "St. Louis," "Kansas City" and "Reno, Ill." No letters were found in several old garments left in the wagon, but on an old copy of a St. Louis paper was printed the name, "Joseph Turner." The Sheriff of Pettis County has begun an investigation.

MINISTERS ENDORSE IT.

Dr. R. V. PRESCOTT.

Donahoe, Forest Co., N. C. For some six or seven years my wife had been an invalid. We bought six bottles of Dr. R. V. Prescott's Favorite Prescription and took them. To the surprise of the community and the joy of myself and family, in one week my wife commenced to improve, and long before she had taken the last bottle she was able to do her own work (she had not been able to do it before for seven years), and when she had taken the last bottle she was cured.

LEGAL.

PARTITION SALE.

In pursuance of an order of sale made by the Circuit Court of the City of St. Louis, in the partition suit between Walter S. Scott et al., as plaintiffs, and Martha Johnston et al., as defendants, the undersigned, special commissioner, will expose for sale at public vendue, on the first day of the following described real property situated in the City of St. Louis, Missouri: Situated in city block thirty-three (33) in the City of St. Louis, Missouri, composed of two pieces or tracts of ground now forming and improved as one lot, on which is a residence and its appurtenances. The first of said tracts of pieces of land is described as follows: Commencing on the west line of Main street at its intersection with the north line of United States survey one hundred and fifty-nine (159), said piece being and five (5) feet and six (6) inches and two-thirds (2 2/3) inches north from the north line of Myrtle street; thence northwardly along the west line of Main street twenty (20) feet four and one-half (4 1/2) inches to the southwest corner of a lot formerly owned by William H. Brown; thence eastwardly along the north line of said lot thirty-three (33) feet and six (6) inches to the west line of United States survey one hundred and fifty-nine (159); thence northwardly along said west line of said survey one (1) foot and one (1) inch to the northeast corner of a lot formerly owned by William H. 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HER SON'S SLAYER.

Mrs. Krueger Created a Sensation When She Caught Sight of Vorhauser.

There was a dramatic scene at 210 Wash street when Emil Vorhauser, who shot Henry Krueger on Wednesday, was taken before the wounded man for identification. The infuriated woman of 40, who had been seeking vengeance upon her son's assailant, the crime of a grief-stricken sister and the strenuous efforts of bluecoats to save Vorhauser, created a sensation in the neighborhood, that blocked the sidewalk with a crowd of onlookers.

Vorhauser was taken from the Central District Station by Sgt. Dawson and Police Officer Curtis and taken to the home of his victim Vorhauser told his guards he feared he would be assaulted by Mrs. Krueger.

When the wagon was a few doors from Krueger's residence, Vorhauser, who sat next to Curtis facing east, exclaimed: "There she is in the back yard." Mrs. Krueger was plainly visible in a wide side-yard extending to the rear of the house at almost the same moment. When she saw the man who had shot her son, she screamed and shrieked. "There he is! there is the scoundrel who shot my son!" she screamed.

Dawson and Curtis approached the front gate with their prisoner. Mrs. Krueger waited them, and when they reached the gate, she threw it open and dashed upon Vorhauser. The latter darted behind Sergeant Curtis and received a woman's attack. He grasped her by the arm and sought to quiet her, but without avail. She struggled, bit and screamed with the strength of a fury and taxed the sergeant to the utmost to restrain her.

Her daughter had been attracted from the house, and while the mother was struggling with Dawson, Curtis and her prisoner, she stole past and went into the house. The daughter coming to Dawson's assistance, quieted her mother for a while, and she remained silent in front of the house, awaiting Vorhauser's reappearance.

Krueger was found in a very critical condition when the officers entered with their prisoner. Vorhauser refused to say anything about the shooting, but Krueger positively identified him as his assailant.

Dawson and Curtis, with their prisoner, remained in the house for some time. When they emerged, Mrs. Krueger was still waiting. When she caught sight of Vorhauser the second time, she dashed upon him and sought to strike him. He was unprepared, and was thrown to the ground. He had not been for her daughter and niece who threw themselves in front of her.

The crowd upon the sidewalk began to gather some of the mother's indignation, and it was with difficulty that the police kept her away from the wagon. A warrant for assault to kill was issued against Vorhauser after his return to the Court House.

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ALTON NEWS.

Thomas Meehan and Joseph Gorman of this city have been arrested on a charge of throwing a switch at Godfrey, a peddler of a switch engine. They were placed under bond of \$500, to appear for trial Saturday. The boys claim that they threw the switch in answer to a motion from the brakeman.

The funeral of the late Felix Gabriell took place Wednesday morning from the Cathedral, and the interment was at Greenwood cemetery. The pallbearers were Messrs. Louis and P. Murphy, D. Doyle, Geo. Ginter, F. P. Murphy, J. Melling.

The ladies of the Woman's Club of Alton were entertained Wednesday afternoon by Mrs. M. J. McLaughlin. Adam Weidel has sold to Mrs. Minnie Erbe lot 5 in block 46, Alton, for \$3,000.

President Austin of the Alton City Hall delivered a lecture last night in the City Hall for the benefit of the Ladies' Club. His subject was "Crusades and Crusaders."

The pupils of the Alton Conservatory gave a recital Wednesday evening, and an interesting programme was presented.

Gas stoves and refrigerators, best in the world, cash or time. Ingalls, 1103 Olive.

The Mayor Has Nothing to Say.

Mayor Walbridge was asked Wednesday if he had anything to say about the holding up of a part of the state of the Council. He declined to discuss the matter, except to repeat what he had said before, that it was the Council's privilege to confirm or reject his appointments, and that he had made it an invariable rule not to criticize the Municipal Assembly.

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With a Little Energetic Toil They Will Be Given a Chance to Raise Their Own Vegetables.

Many who do not keep pace with events are asking what the Detroit plan is. The following detailed explanation is for their benefit:

Briefly stated, the "Detroit Plan" is the cultivation of vegetables on vacant lots and tracts of land in the city by worthy persons, employed or unemployed, who are not able to buy vegetables, and who need such help in making a living.

It involves charity to the extent of the free use of the land, the cost of seedling, and, in most cases, the plowing and preparation of the ground. It is charity only for the help of those who are willing to help themselves.

The beneficiaries are such men and women, heads of families, as are willing to take charge of the cultivation of land. As the land is allotted by the committee, and cultivated thereon, such vegetables as the ground may produce, potatoes, pumpkins, radishes, onions, cabbage, tomatoes, beans, pumpkins or any other vegetable desired. The work may be done by the members of the family, if employed during the day he may use the early morning and late evening hours, and thus produce all the vegetables needed by the family for the season, and enough to sell or give to the needy.

Those taking up the lots and lands are not paupers, but worthy people, willing to grow their own food, and to work for what they get. None but the worthy people will be permitted to cultivate the land, and to be supplied by the committee.

The committee takes charge of such vacant and unused lots and parcels of land, and about the city as may be preferred for the purpose, the owners reserving the right to sell or improve the property at will and relinquishing no claim upon it, merely agreeing that the committee may allot it for the purpose of growing vegetables. The land is taken from the committee, the person using it is not to be disturbed, and in some manner protected from the loss of his crops, possibly by sharing in the crop by the committee, or in another tract as far as possible, the land is allotted to persons nearest thereof.

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RANSOM POST INDIGNANT.

It Decides Not to Accept a Benefit in Conjunction With Della Fox.

There is indignation in the rank and file of Ransom Post, G. A. R., one of the most aristocratic posts in the Department, on account of certain alleged bad treatment on the part of Post Short of the Olympic Theater. The late G. A. R. Sherman was once a commander of this post, and was a member of the time of his death. He was awarded the post of honor at the military funeral that followed, and has always occupied a conspicuous place in Grand Army circles.

For several years past its members have been in the habit of giving an annual entertainment at the Olympic, the proceeds, after paying all expenses, being used for the benefit of indigent members. The officers are R. R. Scott, Commander; A. J. Brownell, Senior Vice-Commander; Mr. Scutte, Vice-Commander; E. N. Spaulding, Quartermaster, and James Wild, Adjutant. Last year the post presented "Camille," with Clara Morris as the leading character, and it was supposed that arrangements had been made to present the "Little Trooper" with Della Fox as the star next Saturday evening, but the matter, as far as the post is concerned, has fallen through.

The member of the post explained to a Post-Dispatch reporter that a committee appointed by the post to conduct negotiations with Mr. Short reported that the terms "were to be the same as last year," which were that the members of the post were to be allowed to perform the play, and to pay Mr. Short one-third of the receipts. About 100 tickets at \$1 each had been sold, when the committee called at the theater to see that everything was all right. He was informed, it is stated, that his post would not be allowed the privilege of the parquette for less than 60 cents for each seat, but that seats in the dress circle, box and balcony would be given to the post. Commander Scott reported this to a meeting of the post, which was held at Howard's Hall followed. It was decided at this meeting to cancel the contract and recall all tickets that had been sold.

It is said that Ransom Post will not give any theatricals this season.

DR. WILSON, COUNTERFEITER.

An Arkansas Man of Prominent Family Pleads Guilty.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., May 2.—In the United States Court Dr. W. M. Wilson of Lincoln County has pleaded guilty to manufacturing and passing counterfeit money. He comes of a prominent family and has always borne an excellent reputation.

WILL ENJOIN STRIKERS.

Boss Brick Layers to Attack the Hod Carriers in the Courts.

A special meeting of the Boss Bricklayers will be held Thursday evening at Twelve Market street, the object being to take steps to prevent the hod carriers and their sympathizers from destroying their property and assaulting their employees.

They claim that the police "protection" has been given to the hod carriers, and that their lives are in danger.

At a conference held Thursday morning it was given the go-ahead to work with the Hod carriers, and the Hod carriers were to be made to legally enjoin the strikers from destroying property and disturbing the peace. The union officers of the Bricklayers' Union, No. 1, are now working to have the State laws enforced.

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Summer's

L. ACKERMAN, - Manager.

419 AND 421 N. BROADWAY.

Here is a Chance to Make Yourself Happy.

Come To-Morrow and Attend Our Grand Special Sale of

TRIMMED HATS.

500 Misses' Trimmed Hats, latest shapes, trimmed in flowers and all-silk ribbon, worth from \$1.50 to \$2.50; choice to-morrow.....98c

500 Ladies' Hats, trimmed very stylish in first-class material, worth from \$3.00 to \$4.50; choice to-morrow.....\$1.98

Hundreds of Hats and Bonnets from \$3.00 to \$15.00 that can not be duplicated anywhere within 50 cent.

200 doz. Ladies' Imported Fast Black Cotton Hosiery, extra fine, 40-gauge, spliced heels, full regular make, never sold for less than 25c; choice Friday.....17c

250 Ladies' Ribbed Egyptian Cotton Vests, low neck and sleeves, taped neck and arms; regular price 10c; choice for Friday.....10c

1,000 Boys' Sateen Windsor Ties for Friday only, worth 10c.....3c

500 White India Silk Parasols, with Hand-Painted White Dresden Ball Handle, White Ribs and Stick; worth \$2.00; for Friday.....\$1.25

500 dozen Ladies' Fast Black Pure Milanese Silk Mitts, regular price 30c; for Friday.....25c

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WEST VIRGINIA MINERS.

The Situation Threatening, But No Outbreak Reported.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

CHARLESTON, W. Va., May 2.—Gov. McKim received a telegram at noon that all was quiet among the striking miners in the coal and Pocahontas regions. The miners at the latter place refused to join the strikers and held meetings this afternoon to determine their course. No violence is yet reported. United States Marshal Gordon today notified General Superintendent Hopper of the N. and W. Railway, who last night applied for protection to his road, that the Government could do nothing unless the Federal Court interpreted the commerce law restraining the strikers from interfering with the mails, and interstate commerce. The road has guards at all tunnels and bridges to prevent the use of dynamite.

Burial Permits.

William Lewis, 65 years, 4377 Marfitt; portall congestion.

Thomas McCollough, 27 years, 1234 Hebert; diphtheria pneumonia.

Alonso P. Fruch, 40 years, 3725 Kosuth; diphtheria pneumonia.

Johanna Lynch, 40 years, 1432 North Fourteenth; pneumonia.

George Lafferty, 21 years, 1331 North Eighth; pneumonia.

John Hardy, 58 years, 1212 North Seventh; hepatitis.

Riley Bourice, 40 years, 1503 Pine; pneumonia.

Jacob Schneider, 69 years, Good Samaritan Hospital; senile debility.

Louisa Sommer, 58 years, 2264 Montgomery; asthma.

Rebecca White, 59 years, 1404 Oak; lymphadenoma.

Oliver Morell, 31 years, 4101 Papin; pneumonia.

John Goodman, 2 years, 3022 Manchester road; diphtheria.

Annie Goodwin, 8 years, 3022 Manchester road; diphtheria.

August Vogel, 62 years, 1901 Park; cirrhosis of liver.

Francis X. Kulla, 55 years, 2700 South Eleventh; pneumonia.

Philip Brady, 55 years, Chicago; gun-shot wound.

RIVER NEWS.

The river is still falling, and at noon only 44 feet of steamboat water. Reports show business on the levee is picking up. The Ford Herold will be ready to go back to work in about a week when the levee will be put in the Memphis trade.

The City of St. Louis took 800 tons of freight and 100 passengers to New Orleans Wednesday evening.

May 31 the Gen. City will take the Associated Cycling Clubs to Louisiana.

The City of Paducah carried a big cargo to the Tennessee River.

MONEY.

Bank clearings, \$4,462,752.

Exchange—Quoted by A. G. Edwards & Sons: New York, 100c; London, 100c; Paris, 100c; Chicago, 100c; St. Louis, 100c; Cincinnati, 100c; St. Paul, 100c; New Orleans, 100c.

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

CHICAGO, May 2.—Wheat—May, 63 1/2; June, 64 1/2; July, 65 1/2; August, 66 1/2; September, 67 1/2; October, 68 1/2; November, 69 1/2; December, 70 1/2; January, 71 1/2; February, 72 1/2; March, 73 1/2; April, 74 1/2; May, 75 1/2; June, 76 1/2; July, 77 1/2; August, 78 1/2; September, 79 1/2; October, 80 1/2; November, 81 1/2; December, 82 1/2; January, 83 1/2; February, 84 1/2; March, 85 1/2; April, 86 1/2; May, 87 1/2; June, 88 1/2; July, 89 1/2; August, 90 1/2; September, 91 1/2; October, 92 1/2; November, 93 1/2; December, 94 1/2; January, 95 1/2; February, 96 1/2; March, 97 1/2; April, 98 1/2; May, 99 1/2; June, 100 1/2; July, 101 1/2; August, 102 1/2; September, 103 1/2; October, 104 1/2; November, 105 1/2; December, 106 1/2; January, 107 1/2; February, 108 1/2; March, 109 1/2; April, 110 1/2; May, 111 1/2; June, 112 1/2; July, 113 1/2; August, 114 1/2; September, 115 1/2; October, 116 1/2; November, 117 1/2; December, 118 1/2; January, 119 1/2; February, 120 1/2; March, 121 1/2; April, 122 1/2; 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PAROUS WOMEN IN CONVENTION.

Opening of the Mississippi Valley Congress of Women.

MALE DELEGATES ADMITTED.

Proposition Allowing Men to Take Part in the Proceedings Evoked a Sharp Discussion.

Under the double-starred flag, the emblem of equal suffrage, the delegates to the Mississippi Valley Congress of Women convened in the First Congregational Church, Grand and Delmar avenues, on Thursday morning. The two lonely stars in the field of blue typify the States of Colorado and Wyoming, the pioneer converts to equal suffrage.

A dainty arrangement of potted plants and early spring blossoms about the speakers' platform bespoke the feminine touch in the arrangements for the meeting. Delegates were present from Missouri, Illinois and Kansas. It is not a legislative gathering. The conference is solely for mutual enlightenment and encouragement in the work of advancing the interest of women.

The body of the church was filled with delegates and visitors to the number of 500. Little badges of yellow and white ribbons fastened by two silver stars fluttered on the breasts of the fair auditors. It was the convention badge. White is the emblem of the W. C. T. U. Yellow, the color of the sunflower, that follows civilization, typifies the equal-suffrage movement.

Mrs. F. H. Ingalls called the convention to order at 10:30 o'clock. Mrs. F. H. Springer,

Sunday-school Convention last summer with several companions. "Three-fourths of the Sunday-school teachers of the State are women," she said, "and they were allowed no voice in the proceedings. Let us follow the example and keep this convention to ourselves."

Mrs. Minor Merriweather then spoke up. For nearly 400 years the men have been running things to suit themselves, and they have been making a lot of awful mistakes. One of their biggest mistakes was in treating women as an inferior and excluding her from their councils. Let us not imitate their mistakes, but treat them as our equals, and admit them to our conventions if they seek admission.

Mrs. Parker said that the would-be-man-woman had her innings and if the would-be-woman-man wanted a show to let him have it.

Mrs. Hendy and Clardy spoke in a



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similar strain. Sister Estelle tried to work in a compromise by allowing the men to be present, but not to take part in the proceedings.

Mrs. Parker said that the men already

equal suffrage movement in the antipodes. Rev. Francis Jenkins, President of the Kansas City Social Science Association, made a short address.

Mrs. Ingalls then introduced Miss Morris, Mrs. Stodier, Miss Kate Newton, Mrs. Sullivan to herself.

Mrs. Ingalls called attention to the fact that the Christian Advocate had gotten out a women's edition. She said it was the organ of the Southern Methodist Church and Rev. Parramore, in a conversation with her, had spoken very highly of the organ, but suggested that nothing be said about women's suffrage. She had told him that she did not know what the rest of them were going to do, but for herself she was going to express herself about it when it came her turn to speak.

Bouquets and souvenirs were distributed by the committee having the matter in charge, when a recess was taken until 1 o'clock.

The afternoon programme consisted of a



SUSAN B. ANTHONY.

day. Mrs. Sophia Grubb, Mrs. Denning, Mrs. Lewis, Miss Mai Wood, Mrs. Bolley, Mrs. Kaufman, Mrs. Wallace, Mrs. S. C. Nutter, Mrs. Kimball, Miss Carter and Miss Edna Mitchell, the local and State officers of the W. C. T. U.

Mrs. Ingalls called attention to the fact that the Christian Advocate had gotten out a women's edition. She said it was the organ of the Southern Methodist Church and Rev. Parramore, in a conversation with her, had spoken very highly of the organ, but suggested that nothing be said about women's suffrage. She had told him that she did not know what the rest of them were going to do, but for herself she was going to express herself about it when it came her turn to speak.



WOMAN'S CONGRESS AT FIRST CON GREGATIONAL CHURCH.

of the Women's Christian Union, conducted the consecration service, began with the singing of "Onward, Christian Soldiers," by the convention.

After a hymn by Miss Grace Deltrich of Springfield, Mo., the consecration service concluded with prayer by Mrs. Fleischmann, the convention was ready for business.



MRS. S. F. GRUBB.

and Mrs. E. B. Johnson moved that all of the ladies present be made delegates to the convention. It was unanimously carried.

Mrs. Ingalls then inquired for Miss Anthony and Rev. Anna Shaw. Mrs. Ingalls reported that the ladies had not reached the convention hall and that their whereabouts were unknown. Mrs. Ingalls explained that the committee was not at fault, as Miss Anthony had written that she would find her way to the convention without the aid of a committee.

To state for the temporary disappointment of the delegates who wished to make a shopping tour would be furnished with compensation.



REV. ANNA H. SHAW.

heard, but to know that her words will be counted and have weight not with women alone, but in the world of thought and political action.

Rev. Anna Cross of Chicago was next brought forward and said: "I am a pupil of Miss Anthony's and am glad to have met her at her feet. These meetings of women are making our mission felt. Twenty grand organizations are working together in sympathy and charity for equal justice. Every

little rock, Ark. May 1.—W. J. H. Traynor of Detroit, President of the Supreme Council of the A. P. A., who is in this city, has organized a State Council of that organization. Pine Bluff, Fort Smith, Little Rock and Hot Springs are represented. Mr. Traynor refused to divulge the names of his Arkansas co-workers. He said the war waged in this State until every Catholic was driven from office.

had the privilege of attending the convention. She made a strong plea for the "brothers," as the speakers called the male sex.

Most of the speakers quite freely admitted the indispensability of the male sex in an all-round capacity. When the assembly put to a vote the resolutions had the best of it, with the assistance of several bass notes.

A suspicion gained ground during the latter end of the debate that Mrs. Johnson had sprung the discussion to fill up time until the prominent delegates arrived.

When the convention had subsided Miss Susan B. Anthony and Rev. Anna Shaw entered the convention hall. They took their seats on the platform amid a storm of hand-clapping and waving of handkerchiefs.

Miss Susan B. Anthony was introduced and warmly welcomed. She said:

"It is an old saying that children should be seen and not heard. It was just as applicable some time ago to say women should be seen and not heard. I am glad that the order of things has been revised and that women are no longer satisfied to be seen, but determined to be heard and not only

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WANT THE GREAT NORTHERN

It is Said the Vanderbilts Seek to Control That Road.

ST. PAUL, Minn., May 2.—It is openly stated that the Vanderbilts, appreciating the value of the Great Northern, have secured Canadian holdings, and are preparing at the annual meeting in September, to relieve Mr. Hill of the control of the system. When Mr. Hill went to New York so hastily, he paid a hurried visit to Montreal, where Sir Donald Smith resided, and immediately afterwards took the steamer abroad. The Vanderbilts now control the New York Central, Northern, Omaha and Rock Island. Their coast connection is through an iron-clad agreement with the Union Pacific. If the Vanderbilts can secure control of the Great Northern they will have a line of their own to Puget Sound from New York, which will interfere materially with the southern route via the Union Pacific. The Great Northern needs money and cash but no further in pay-rolls. Traffic has reached its minimum, and hard times have had their effect, so there is every ground for believing that the Vanderbilts, if it is true that they are seeking the control of the line, are in a better position to secure their ends now than they would have been five years ago, or will be ten years hence.

WILDS' POOL BILL.

Passed the New York Senate by an Overwhelming Vote.

ALBANY, N. Y., May 2.—The Senate has passed the Wilds bill, prohibiting pool selling—yes, 23; nays, 4. The supplementary Wilds bill, amending the Gray bill, relative to pool selling, was also passed by the Senate—yes, 23; nays, 1.

ZELAYA IS UNPOPULAR.

He Hoodwinked the People, and They May Overthrow Him.

NEW YORK, May 2.—Passengers on the steamship Columbia, which has reached here from Colon, report that Nicaragua is in a ferment over President Zelaya's arbitrary rule. One passenger, who purports to be a Nicaraguan, and therefore, does not wish his name known, says:

"Plans for Zelaya's overthrow are well under way, and when the coffee crop is harvested, there will be an uprising throughout the country. Zelaya's policy in the exclusion of Hatch was outrageous. When Barrios returned from his useless mission to England, President Zelaya kept secret from every one the fact that the Minister had failed. Even when the British warships were moving toward the coast, the people were amazed. One of the President's latest acts of persecution, it is alleged, was the arrest of the son of ex-President Zavala at Granada. While Zavala was at the theater, the place was surrounded by soldiers. He was taken to his home, and his mother and his wife stood by the soldiers first searched and then beat him."

YOTAMBIEN AND SIMMONS.

Notable Thoroughbreds Arrive at the Fair Grounds To-Day.

Barney Schreiber's string of horses, about thirty strong, including nearly two dozen 2-year-olds, arrived at the Fair Grounds this morning, from Schreiber's place in St. Louis County.

Chris Smith's Kendall Stable, including Yotambien, Maid Marian, Prince Carl, and others, also arrived at the Fair Grounds this morning. Mr. Walsh's Simmons came up from Lexington, Simons and Yotambien are both entered in the inaugural.

E. C. Hendley's Thoroughbred candidate, John Carroll, worked three-quarters morning on the extreme outside of the track in 1:17 flat. Hibbard Queen will do to finish the justly famous five-lap race in 1:04. Jim Hoeg went the same route in 1:06 flat. He is in Hatcher's stable.

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Have they not proven themselves? Thousands have been cured by their use when other means have failed; the sale of them have exceeded the most sanguine expectations and is still increasing; more of them have been sold than of any other medicine ever placed on the market in the same space of time. The druggists say: they are placed in a position to know. Does this not prove their worth-their efficiency? The druggists order them because the people demand them. The people buy them because they want them. They recognize the curative properties of these wonderful remedies. If Munyon's cures did not do their work the public would not buy them, the druggists could not sell them. Is not this true? All druggists sell Munyon's cures.

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Munyon's Rheumatism Cure never fails to relieve in one to three hours, and cures in a few days. Price, 25c.

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Munyon's Homeopathic Remedy Company of Philadelphia puts up specifics for nearly every disease, which are sold by all druggists, mostly for 25 cents a bottle.

TEN WERE KILLED.

Several Other Persons Injured by a Kansas Cyclone.

HALESTAD, Kan., May 2.—A cyclone traversed a strip of territory several hundred yards wide and sixteen miles long this afternoon, killing ten persons, as follows: Mrs. Joseph Wear, 6-months-old baby, Grace Wear, aged 11, Hermann Wear, aged 5, Wm. Armstrong, Mrs. Channing, John Schmidt, Mrs. John Schmidt, Dora Schmidt, Francis Schmidt.

Several others were seriously injured. Mrs. Fry's house was the first struck and destroyed. Mrs. Fry being slightly injured. John Stulbach's house was torn to pieces and Joseph Wear's house was swept away and four of the family killed. Mr. Wear was some distance away and he clung to a tree. He may die of his injuries. Joseph Wear, Jr., and his sister, Maude, escaped by fleeing to the cellar. William Armstrong's house was obliterated, and he and Mrs. Channing killed. Mrs. Armstrong was seriously and probably fatally injured. Miss Gouff Nef and Mrs. J. A. Comer were badly injured in the ruins of A. S. Fowler's house. Many dwellings were destroyed and the occupants injured. Dead horses, cattle, hogs, chickens and debris cover the fields.

John Schmidt's house was destroyed and the entire family of four persons killed. The residence of B. E. and J. F. Frizell and all their outhouses were swept away, excepting the barn, which was left standing. The houses of Spencer Ross, J. A. Comas, Andrew Thompson, Capt. William White, Cyrus Hinkston, Menno Hege and E. C. Caldwell were either wholly or partly destroyed. The damage is estimated at \$200,000.

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500 Men's \$15 All-Wool Cassimere, Cheviot and Worsted Suits go for..... \$7.95

Shoes, Hats and Furnishing Goods Proportionately Cut for Friday and Saturday.

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A complete line of Men's and Children's White and Black Lachorn Flats.....
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Worth double the amount.

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Ladies' and Children's Trimmed Leghorn Hats worth up to \$4.50, choice at 69c, 98c, \$1.45, \$1.98
Ladies' Trimmed Lace Hats, high crown, trimmed with flowers, lace ribbon and ornaments, worth \$5, at..... \$2.48
Ladies' and Children's Ribbed Vests, Ladies' Black and Brown Hose, Children's Black or Red Ribbed Hose, any the above for..... 5c

Ladies' Suits.
\$5.00 Ladies' Eton Suits, all shades..... \$2.98
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35-cent Ladies' Waists..... 15c
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Three lines (20 words), 5 cents; each additional line, 5 cents.

BOOKKEEPER—Wanted, position in office; excellent ref.; 10 years with last employer. Add. F 50, this office.

BOY—Wanted, position by boy of 17 in some whole sale boot and shoe house where he can learn the business; A1 ref. Add. N 45, this office.

BOOKKEEPER—Young man, practical bookkeeper and all-around office man, desires employment; wages 12 week. Add. N 51, this office.

COACHMAN—Young German wants situation as coachman or to do garden work. Add. O 46, this office.

COLLECTOR—Wanted, bills to collect by experienced collector; can give ref. and bond. Add. D 45, this office.

COACHMAN—Wanted, situation by reliable man as coachman and general work about place; handy with tools. Add. W. G., 2410 Spring av.

DRAFTSMAN—Situation wanted by an architectural draftsman; six years' experience; best of references. Add. L 50, this office.

FIREMAN—Do you want a steady, sober man as fireman or assistant? Best references. Add. John T. Hanson, 1724 N. 11th st.

JANITOR—Wanted, place as janitor, with wife or without. Add. O 27, this office.

MAN—A man of 50 wants work of doing chores and working about house. Add. P 48, this office.

MAN—Wanted, work by steady, reliable man; any kind; handy with any kind of tools. 1526 N. 22d st.

MAN—Wanted, by young man attending business college, to take care of house, lawn, etc., with wife and children. Add. C 45, this office.

MAN—Young man, 21, wants to drive delivery wagon; good ref. Add. or call. J. A. 2514 Car. av.

MACHINIST—Machinist and pattern maker on light work; first-class workmen; have had charge of shop; modern and city references. R. Mudd, 2022 Penn st.

MAN AND WIFE—Wanted, situation by man and wife; man is a good driver and understands care of stock; wife is first-class cook and laundress. Add. P 49, this office.

WATCHMAN—Sit. as day or night watchman or driver by steady, reliable and responsible man. Add. B 50, this office.

WAITER—Wanted, sit. by two young colored men as waiter, porter or butler; first-class references. Add. Ford Marshall, 1415 Market st.

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BARNER WANTED—At 8027 S. Broadway.

BOY WANTED—To tend horse, with board; refs. 1412 N. 10th st.

BOY WANTED—To turn up channels in stock room. Shoe factory, 811 N. 2d st.

BOY WANTED—A boy from 16 to 18 years, willing to learn the men's furnishing business. Ford Gots, 418 N. 7th st.

BOYS WANTED—Two strong boys, in finishing room and one to run giant leveler at shoe factory, 811 N. 2d st.

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CLERK WANTED—First-class experienced entry clerk; state salary and reference. Add. O 50, this office.

COLLECTOR WANTED—Young man, 10 years of age, to collect bills for the west. McCanara, ref. for ability and honesty. Add. N 50, this office.

CUTTERS WANTED—Six paying cloth cutters. Apply to foreman at quarry bet. Jefferson and Ewing avs. Scott av. and railroad tracks. Skramke Construction Co.

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LABORERS WANTED—Laborers and rock breakers at Bambrick's quarry, St. Louis and Union sts.

LABORERS WANTED—15 sewer laborers. Fair av. and Natural Bridge road; 200 per hour. Geo. G. Froendhardt.

LABORERS WANTED—15 laborers and 8 teams; Sisters Hospital, Garrison av. and Montgomery st. L. Kennish.

MEN WANTED—Union laborers at 8014 N. 21st st.

MILKHER WANTED—Competent milkher wanted at the Vineland Dairy, Vineland, Mo.

MAN AND WIFE WANTED—Woman good cook; man to take care of horses. 2925 Pine st.

MAN AND WIFE WANTED—A woman, with husband, to take care of a rooming house, refs. required. 1220 Locust st.

MAN WANTED—Man who has had experience putting up window screens. Apply C. H. Sawyer Mfg. Co., 1819 Chouteau.

MAN WANTED—Competent man for the country to take care of stock, milk and drive; reference req.; wages \$20. Add. M 47, this office.

PAPERHANGER WANTED—A good paperhanger. 2740 Washington av.

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PASTE BOY WANTED—Experienced paste boy. Call at 2914 Chestnut st. after supper, or at 2140 Olive st. in the morning.

SHINGLES WANTED—Two shinglers. Apply before 5 at 4045 Page av. near 2d.

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SHOEMAKERS WANTED—Two first-class shoe makers and one by the west. McCanara, ref. moved, 7th and Pine sts.

SHOE SALESMAN WANTED—Two shoe salesmen; those having experience in selling men's shoes. Apply to J. S. Wolf, 107-N. Broadway.

SHOEMAKERS WANTED—First-class lasters and second lasters on good quality tools and wools. Bissland-Farrell-Jordan Shoe Co., 214 Chestnut st.

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COOK—Situation wanted by competent colored girl to cook, wash and iron. 1821 Pine st.

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COMPANION—Young lady wants position as companion for child; will go out of city. Add. W 47, this office.

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COMPANION—Lady, educated and industrious, desires position as companion, nurse or housekeeper for old lady; congenial; refs. Add. W 45, this office.

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HOUSEGIRL—Situation wanted to do housework. Apply 8837 Clark av.

HOUSEWORK—Wanted, situation by colored woman to do housework; refs. 1415 Wash st.

HOUSEGIRL—Girl wants situation in small, plain family to do general housework. Call 4250 Peck st., no postal answered.

HOUSEWORK—Wanted, a place for general housework in small family with child 2 years old. Add. 2114 Randolph st.

HOUSEKEEPER—Wanted, position as housekeeper or to do upstairs work by a young woman with child. 1800 Franklin av., third floor.

HOUSEWORK—Wanted, situation by middle-aged woman for general housework or plain cooking; object more than wages. Add. A 49, this office.

HOUSEKEEPER—Wanted, position as housekeeper for widower, or care of furnished house during summer for rent, by responsible woman; references exchanged. Add. E 44, this office.

HOUSEKEEPER—Situation wanted by reliable woman, with child, as housekeeper or general work; good ref. city or country. Apply at 112594 Chestnut st.

LADY—Wanted, position in dental office by young lady. Add. T 47, this office.

LAUNDRESS—Woman wants situation to go out or take home washing by the day. 1619 Grattan st.

LAUNDRESS—Place wanted as laundress or work by the day; ref. if required. Add. S 48, this office.

LADY—Wanted, by young lady a position to care for sick and go home at night. Add. S 47, this office.

LAUNDRESS—Wanted, washing and ironing out by the day; good reference. Call at address 1250 Morcay st., near 1st. Alice Smith.

LADY—Sit. wanted by neat young lady in confined home; four years' experience and can give best of references. Add. E 48, this office.

LAUNDRESS—Wanted, situation by first-class laundress and general work, house cleaner, etc.; moderate salary. Add. S 20, this office.

NURSE—First-class colored girl wants sit. as nurse; reference. Add. S 48, this office.

NURSE—German widow wishes situation as sick nurse or working housekeeper on farm. 1308 Cottage av.

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STENOGRAPHER—Lady stenographer and typewriter desires position in office; moderate salary to start with. Add. S 20, this office.

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BODY IRONER WANTED—Girl to operate body iron, 8 per week. C. A. Lange Laundry Co., 2000 S. Jefferson av.

COOK WANTED—A German girl for cook. 911 La Salle st.

COOK WANTED—Competent cook at 4250 Westminister pl.

COOK WANTED—A boarding-house cook. 8425 Olive st.

COOK WANTED—Girl to cook and do housework. 1812 Longfellow av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl to assist in housework. 3009 DeKalb st.

COOK WANTED—Good woman cook at 4261 McPherson av.; bring references.

COOK WANTED—First-class girl for cook, wash and iron; good wages. 9550 Page av.

COOK WANTED—Girl to cook, wash and iron. 2745 Von Versen av.; good wages.

COOK WANTED—A good cook in private family of 3 in the city. Add. E 45, this office.

COOK WANTED—A girl to cook and assist with washing and ironing. 5579 Clemens av.

COOK WANTED—Cook out at Ramona Park. Take St. Louis & Suburban line. J. L. Goss.

COOK WANTED—A good cook to wash and iron in family of 6. Apply at once to 2524 Whittemore place.

COOK WANTED—Girl for cooking and laundry with washing and ironing; German preferred. 320 Locust st.

COOK WANTED—Girl to cook and do general housework; no washing or ironing; good home for girl. 2216 Washington av.

CUTTER WANTED—Experienced short knife cutter want sit. at once on dress suits and wringers; good salary and steady work. Call 3552 S. Broadway.

COOK WANTED—A strong German girl for cooking, washing and ironing; one who will recommend will receive good wages. 3006 Geary av.

DRESSMAKERS WANTED—Two good dressmakers immediately. 1113 Carr st.

DINING-ROOM GIRL WANTED—A good dining-room girl in private boarding-house. 1430 Mississippi av.

GIRL WANTED—A girl wanted at 2433 S. 18th st.

GIRL WANTED—Girl for sewing and light housework. 2200 Lucas av.

GIRLS WANTED—Experienced straw hat sewers. N. e. cor. Franklin av. and 6th st.

GIRL WANTED—To assist in dining-room and kitchen work. 2922 Lafayette av.

GIRL WANTED—Neat young girl to assist with kitchen work. 1001 Locust st.

GIRLS WANTED—Experienced girls to sew awnings. West End Aving Co., 2518 Easton av.

GIRLS WANTED—Two experienced pantry girls at Moser Hotel, Pine bet. 8th and 9th sts.

GIRL WANTED—About 15 years to take care of baby 18 months old. Add. T 50, this office.

GIRLS WANTED—Sewing girls on children's coats. Apply at 8th and W. cor. 9th and Lucas av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—A girl for housework. 5579 Clemens av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Competent housemaid at 3435 Franklin av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework. 2137 Oregon av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework. 1829 Olive st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—A girl for general housework. 2726 Morgan st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework. 2712 Franklin av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Good girl for general housework. 2700 Russell av.

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HOUSEGIRL WANTED—A girl for general housework. 1217 Chouteau av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Good girl for general housework. 1111 Washington av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Good girl for general housework. 2700 Russell av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—A good white girl to do housework. Call at 107 Pine st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl to help in general housework; good home. 5726 Flinn av.

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HELP WANTED—FEMALE.

5 cents per line each insertion.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—German girl for general housework. Apply at 2712 S. Jefferson av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—A good German girl for general housework. 3064 West Belle pl.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—A girl for housework and help with children. Apply 1615 S. Grand av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—German girl or woman for general housework. 1800 Wash st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—A German girl for housework. Call Mrs. Tresselt, North St. Louis.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—German girl for general housework; no washing. Apply 3429 Morgan st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—A girl for general housework; no washing or ironing. Apply 3730 Cook av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework, with or without washing. 6041 Maple av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Competent girl for general housework; small family. 1906 Chouteau av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Strong girl for general housework; no washing or ironing. 3512 Chestnut st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—A German Catholic girl about 18 to do general housework. 4222 Cook av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—A girl for general housework at 2100 West End, south of Easton.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Reliable girl for general housework in small family. Call at 3522 Maple av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework; German or Swede; small family. 717 Spring av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Good girl for general housework; small family. Call at 1443 Mississippi av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—A girl for general housework and cooking; good wages paid. 1035 Good fellow av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—A German girl for general housework; no washing done; steady place. 3512 Chestnut st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—A German girl for general housework. 3151 Bismarck pl., near Easton av. and Francis st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework in family of two; no washing or ironing. 3953 Washington av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Neat girl for light housework; small family. 3802 Windsor pl., near Vandeventer av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework at 504 West End pl., between Ware and Grand avs., near Olive st.

HOUSEWOMAN WANTED—General housewoman (colored); only those experienced in cooking need apply. 3014 Chestnut st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Good housegirl; must assist with washing, clean front; use of hose; three in family. 4244 Locust av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—A competent girl for general housework in a family of 2; no washing; good wages. Apply at once at 5723 Cates av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—A good German girl to assist with general work in private family; only those confident need apply. 2855 Washington.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework; small family; no washing; big wages. 6209 Ewing av., or take Page av. car on Washington av. line.

HOUSEKEEPER WANTED—A refined woman as cook and working housekeeper in small private family; a desirable place for competent person. Add. M 50, this office.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—An experienced girl to do general housework in a family of 2 persons and go home at night; evenings and Sunday references req. Apply to Dr. Dinebach, 814 Pine st., 2d floor.

LAUNDRESS WANTED—A first-class laundress by the week or month. 2131 Lucas place.

LAUNDRESS WANTED—Laundress to take wash home. Mrs. Williams, 4247 Hunt av.

LADY WANTED—Young lady for stage, give full description. Add. S 45, this office.

LAUNDRESS WANTED—Laundress for two full days in week; references required. Apply 2420 Morgan st.

MACHINE HANDS WANTED—Experienced machinists on custom pants. 514 Pine st., room 18, 3d floor.

NURSEGIRL WANTED—A nursegirl. 1820 S. Jackson av.

NURSEGIRL WANTED—Nursegirl for child 8 years old. Apply 2857 Morgan st.

NURSE WANTED—Young girl, with first-class references, as nurse; good wages, at Webster Grove, Mo. Call at 2938 Sheridan av.

SALES LADIES WANTED—Three salesladies; good salary; collect on half-day each week. 625 Locust.

SALES LADIES WANTED—Two salesladies; good salary; age 25 to 40; good salary. 705 Locust.

STENOGRAPHER WANTED—Refined lady stenographer in wholesale business. Position permanent. P. 47, this office.

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